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NOTE. — This eighty-fourth annual report of the Education Society follows the report for 1900, which is numbered twenty-fourth. On the union in 1875 the forty-ninth report of the American Education Society and the thirty-second of the American College Society were merged in the first annual report of the American College and Education Society. The series begun at that time has been continued in subsequent reports. The method is confusing, however, and has ceased to be significant. This report, therefore, which might have been called the twenty-sixth, combines the original numeration, and appears as the eighty-fourth.

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FORM OF BEQUEST.

I do hereby give and bequeath to the CONGREGATIONAL
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—— months after my decease, and to be applied to the uses
and purposes of that Society.

 Fifty dollars constitutes an Honorary Membership.

ANNUAL MEETING.

BOSTON, MASS., June 13, 1900.

THE Eighty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Congregational Education Society, appointed for June 13, 1900, at two o'clock, in Pilgrim Hall, Congregational House, Boston, was duly called to order at that time and place by the President, William H. Willcox, D. D. No quorum being present, the meeting was adjourned until June 25, 1900, at half-past one o'clock, and at the same place.

BOSTON, June 25, 1900.

The adjourned meeting of the Congregational Education Society was held in Pilgrim Hall, Congregational House, Boston, on June 25, 1900, at half-past one o'clock.

In the absence of the President, Rev. J. W. Wellman, D. D., was elected chairman. Rev. C. O. Day was made clerk.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Arthur Little, D. D.

The reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was omitted, these having been already printed.

A committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year was appointed by the chairman, namely, Rev. DeWitt S. Clark, D. D., Thomas Todd, Esq., and Rev. E. H. Byington, D. D.

The report of the Treasurer was read by the clerk, and the same was approved, and ordered to be printed in the Annual Report.

The Annual Report of the Directors was read by title and referred to the Directors for further consideration, completion and printing.

The Nominating Committee reported as follows :

For President, William H. Willcox, D. D., LL. D. ; for Vice-President, John Henry Barrows, D. D., LL. D. ; for Directors, for three years, B. F. Hamilton, D. D., J. W. Wellman, D. D., W. E. Barton, D. D., C. B. Rice, D. D., Alexander R. Thain, D. D., Thomas Weston, Esq.

These officers were duly elected by ballot to the several offices for which they were named.

Rev. Charles O. Day was elected a life member of the Society.

Thomas Todd, Esq., C. H. Beale, D. D., and Arthur Little, D. D., were appointed as a committee to nominate life members at the next Annual Meeting.

Rev. Charles O. Day was elected by ballot to be Corresponding Secretary for the ensuing year.

S. F. Wilkins, Esq., was elected by ballot to be Treasurer for the ensuing year.

A cordial vote of thanks was passed, expressive of the appreciation by the Society of the faithful and generous services of Mr. Wilkins, in view of his careful and gratuitous conduct of the office of Treasurer.

H. N. Ackerman, Esq., was elected by ballot to be Auditor for the ensuing year.

The relation of Rev. J. A. Hamilton, D. D., to the Society was referred to the Directors with full power.

No other business being presented, the meeting adjourned.

Attest :

CHARLES O. DAY, *Clerk.*

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1900-1901.

PRESIDENT.

WILLIAM H. WILLCOX, D.D., LL.D.

VICE-PRESIDENT.

J. H. BARROWS, D.D., LL.D.

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Ex officio.

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For one year.

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CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

REV. C. O. DAY.

TREASURER.

S. F. WILKINS, Esq.

AUDITOR.

H. N. ACKERMAN, Esq.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following secretary and committees were chosen :

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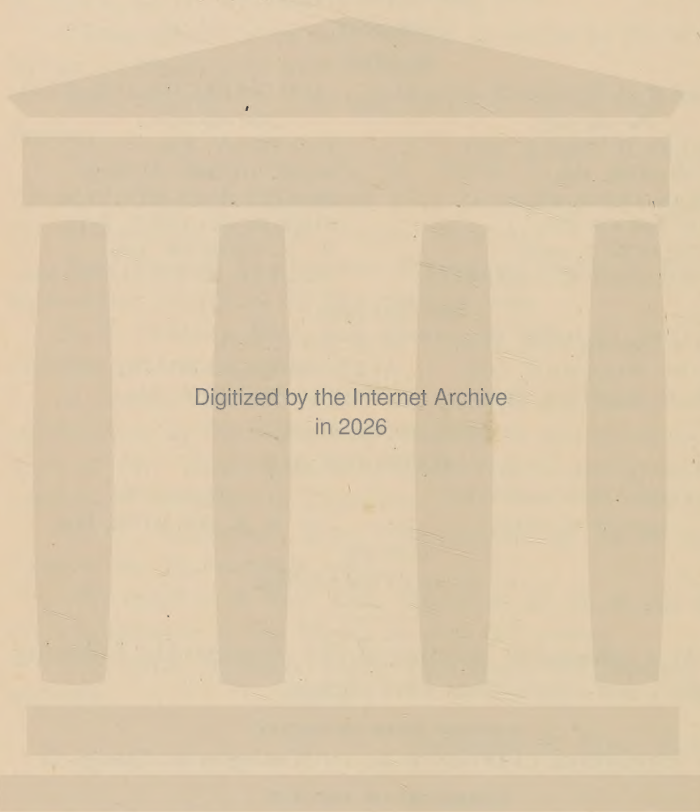
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(FORMERLY AMERICAN EDUCATION SOCIETY, AFTERWARDS AMERICAN
COLLEGE AND EDUCATION SOCIETY.)

THE Directors beg leave to present herewith their Annual Report of the work of the Society for the year ending May 31, 1900.

The year has been one of progress, especially in the department of organization. The whole effort to concentrate the work, including the New West and the Treasury departments, in the Boston office has been carried through. Thus the two-foldness of administration—more apparent, indeed, than real—has been unified. The New West Education Commission as a legal corporation is still continued for the purpose of protecting all rights which passed, with that Society, over to the Congregational Education Society. But, in active management, the Chicago office is devoted simply to field work, while all business, editorial work, and administration is placed in the central office. As a result of this unification, Miss Margaret A. Towne, whose services for many years have been invaluable, especially for work in Utah and New Mexico, passes out of active service with the year's end; receiving, as she terminates her labors, official and financial expression of the most hearty and substantial character from the officers of the Society in view of her fidelity and zeal.

A theory of the various branches of our work, in their adaptation to actual and present demands, has been carefully wrought out. The Federation plan, the character of which

has often been described, and which through state associational committees brings the state bodies into closer and more cordial relations to the Society, has now been undertaken in Missouri, Wisconsin, Iowa, and Minnesota. A clear understanding has been reached with the associations of Nebraska, Kansas, and Illinois. The method is in perfect operation in Missouri, and of increasing utility in Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Iowa, and is likely to become the usual relation. Some degree of progress has been made in securing the application of our by-laws to aided institutions, regarding the security they should give in the way of first lien mortgages, for the educational use of grants. This has so far progressed that the six listed institutions which have not yet provided such security are in the process of attending to it, as has been regularly done by the others. As will appear below, the department of theological scholarships has been reconstructed with an eye to recent discussions of its principles, with an effort to simplify its method, and with changes in the interest of economy and promptitude of payment.

New view points and plans for the conduct of our work in Utah and New Mexico have been attained, which will be reported in their proper place.

Financially, the year has made a prosperous showing. There will appear in the tabular statement appropriations to institutions from the general treasury of \$33,000, as against \$8,600 last year. Of course, the more substantial results of work appear in the designated gifts secured from special localities or donors for cherished institutions. This affiliation between givers and specific objects is one of the characteristics of Congregational benevolence in all departments. The increase in payments from the general treasury has resulted, in noteworthy part, from the generous contribution of \$15,000 by Dr. Pearsons. The heavy arrearages and their accumulated interest, which burdened us one year ago, have now been canceled. Certain old accounts, such as that with the Oberlin Slavic Department, have been amicably settled. The way would seem clear, therefore, for the vigorous devel-

opment of the Society in the two main directions of gifts from the churches and grants to institutions. The former should be greatly increased in number and in value; and the latter should be so carefully made that all institutions may receive just treatment, and may know at the beginning of any school year what they can depend upon from the Society, and can thus be enabled to form their own plans intelligently. There is unquestionably an increasing sense of the importance of the work which the Society is doing; nor have more earnest words been ever spoken or written than during the past year to emphasize the need of an equipped pulpit, of the independent Christian college and academy system of the middle West, and of increasing wisdom and vigor in meeting the religio-social problems of Utah and New Mexico. While in every department there has been a change of emphasis in order to meet a changing situation in our national life, there has been no withdrawal from the recognition of a great responsibility, nor from the firm conviction of a great and increasing need. The Society has enjoyed, in its work of presenting its plans and requirements, the largest hospitality of the churches in the East and in the West. While doing everything in its power to concentrate and simplify its management, it is ready to welcome any further changes in administration, provided that they will surely advance the cause, and will not sacrifice precious interests and the sacred entrustments of the past.

DEPARTMENT OF THEOLOGICAL SCHOLARSHIPS.

THE Society has found no reason, either in current discussion or in its own experience, for abandoning the principles upon which this work has rested from the beginning, and which includes four points: namely, that the churches must themselves coöperate in the work of raising up an adequate ministry; that if pecuniary need is the *occasion* for assistance, a high degree of scholarly and personal merit must *condition* it; that the students should be enabled to concentrate their best efforts upon their studies during the brief years in which they pursue them; and finally, that it is a matter of great importance that they be enabled to go forth from the seminary free of debt, so that they shall not be led into competition for lucrative positions, but be able to enter remote and difficult fields. Still holding to these principles, the Society nevertheless has reorganized the method pursued in some important respects. The new system was established by vote of the Directors last December. It appears in detail in the by-laws governing this department, which have been entirely reconstructed. The principle features of the new method comprise a reduction of the amount of scholarship aid to \$50; its prompt payment in full in two remittances; the substitution of a shorter form of application with various changes in the direction of simplicity; the placing of increased responsibility upon the students and examining committees; the requirement of a definite attainment of high rank in scholarship; and other features which stamp the whole business as entirely honorable. Students are encouraged to accept scholarships as loans; and even when money is received as a grant, it is understood that its return in due time is a point of honor. It may be said that

the new method has been approved and accepted substantially by all the institutions affected. The number of students receiving aid has again decreased from 162 last year to 138 this year. The reason for the small number of applicants is not disapproval of the system, nor does it indicate that the need for such aid does not exist. The number of students, itself, is comparatively small. The statistics from four out of seven of the seminaries indicate this. The conditions under which the appropriations are made, are in every way so allied with honorable feeling and meritorious effort that they provide a distinct leverage in the interest of a well-equipped and powerful pulpit. The churches must recognize that this is their work; and give discerning consideration to the truth that the position of the Society in this matter fully meets the deserved criticism of indiscriminate aid on the one hand, while justly maintaining the desirableness of a scholarship system on the other. The policy of the Society aims to separate this department from the other sides of its work, so that gifts intended for Western educational work shall not be transferred to the student work. The power of the Society is limited by the will and the gift of the churches. Present indications are that the tide is turning in favor of the ministry as a profession; and that the number of applications will increase in the coming years.

The names of the institutions, with the number of students in each who have received aid, appear in the following list:

COLLEGES.

Amherst	9	Marietta	2
Bowdoin	3	Oberlin	1
Carleton	1	Olivet	5
Colby	1	Rollins	2
Colorado	1	Syracuse	1
Dartmouth	1	University of California	1
Dickinson	1	Wheaton	1
Fargo	1	Williams	1
Iowa	1	Yale	1
Lake Forest	1	Yankton	1
Total in Colleges			36

SEMINARIES.

Andover	10	Harvard Divinity	1
Bangor	6	Oberlin	9
Boston University	1	Pacific	3
Chicago	26	Union	5
Hartford	24	Yale	17
Total in Seminaries			102
Total in Colleges			36
			138

INSTITUTIONAL DEPARTMENT.

COLLEGES.

THE history of the year in the work of the Society for the colleges reveals the inevitable change in relation, which is the logic of events, especially in a country so different in all its life from that which our benevolent societies were specially organized to help. Since the beginning of the College Society, one after another of her vigorous children have put on strength enough to stand and go alone, and have graduated from the Society's care. It would be likely that this process of graduation would be accelerated in recent years. The magnificent progress of the public school and state university systems, while in no way weakening the argument which underlies the independent system alongside of it, has yet laid upon the colleges, by force of competition, increasing demands. The colleges have been obliged to take up the work of collection of funds for endowment, for advantages and equipments of every kind, in order that their students might have the best educational facilities. No society could begin to supply these needs, and therefore the colleges have forged ahead for themselves; almost every president being himself a collector. The question has thus come to the front whether the college work of the Society has not been done. There is no debate on the point as to whether the Society must maintain the academies which are the necessary sources of supply for the colleges. This work is vital, like the other. But the question is, What shall be our relation to college work proper? One of three courses can be pursued: either to abandon college work after the institutions still under our care have reached maturity; or to start new colleges; or to concentrate on the colleges already relatively strong, but still requiring large gifts for

current expenses, for the collection and distribution of which this Society should be the agent. It would seem that this latter course is the one which would most subserve the great cause which the colleges represent. When endowments have been secured and the safety of the institutions has been achieved, then the gifts of churches and donors can flow through the Society as a channel, thus saving the enormous expense arising from the number of collectors, all of whom have to be sustained, and thus settling down to a normal, simple, and economical method of enlarging the scope of these cherished and supremely useful institutions.

The process of reorganization, and even in one or two cases of possible closure also, affects the number of institutions upon the Society's list. All of these processes have been at work during the past year.

Thus, through the generosity of Dr. Pearsons, arrearages to Whitman College and Pacific University have been paid off, and these two noble institutions are standing alone in their youthful vigor. There simply remains the payment of one year's pledge to Pomona to place that rising college in the same independent position. These three colleges were upon our list last year. Of the remaining five, Salt Lake College has been transformed into an institution of a somewhat different character; distinctively college work being relegated to an indefinite future, while attention has been paid to strengthening Gordon Academy and to the organization of a training school for teachers; which reconstruction will be recorded in its proper place. Ridgeville College, at Ridgeville, Indiana, has passed through a critical year, and questions have come to the front which bear upon the continued existence of the institution. The condition of affairs is as follows: the argument for an institution of higher Christian learning at that particular point on the border-line of Indiana and Ohio is as valid as ever. In this original judgment the Society was not mistaken. But three reasons, and all of them of a financial character, have hindered development. One is the limited resources of the Society for

college endowment, save as supplemented by the substantial means of the community, and the very strong backing of the state churches. The other reasons are simply the inability of the community, and the fewness of strong churches of our order in Indiana.

Ridgeville, though a generous, is a small town. Indiana Congregationalism is feeble. In spite, therefore, of the courage and marked ability and whole-hearted consecration of Principal H. C. Garvin, the work has dragged. It was deemed best to make the college the subject of special investigation at the last meeting of the Indiana Congregational State Association. A careful committee was appointed, including men of wisdom and experience, such as Dr. Hyde, Dr. Waterman, Dr. Curtis, and others. This committee subsequently visited Ridgeville, examined the situation, held consultation with the citizens, and expressed their final judgment in a series of resolutions in which it was affirmed that the Congregational churches should have and support a college in Indiana; that the people of the community in which the college is located should furnish the necessary buildings; that the maintenance of such a college at Ridgeville should be given the prior claim to recognition and assistance, provided such continuance were possible; that an institution of the character needed should be aided by the churches in the state with their moral support, their contributions, and their students; and finally, it was declared to be the duty of the committee to note carefully the working of the school and everything concerned with it during the coming year, and to report to the next general association, held in the spring of 1901, when the questions of location and maintenance shall be finally settled. It appears from this careful report that the continuance of the college at Ridgeville is problematical; that the coming year is to be decisive, while at the same time the judgment of the representatives of the churches that Indiana should have some Congregational college, seems to be clearly favorable. The history of the Ridgeville institution during the next year will be watched with interest, and it is assured that no expenditure of large

sums will be favored unless perpetuity is assured, while it should be further noted that the gifts of donors which have been already made are themselves held for Christian educational work by adequate security.

At the close of the present year, therefore, the colleges in active relation to the Society are Fairmount, Fargo, and Rollins. Fairmount College has passed through its best year in all departments of work, and its catalogue just issued is a model of completeness and clearness. The situation is full of promise, and the feeling in the state is more friendly and on the part of the citizens of the locality more loyal. The college is growing rapidly. It has assets estimated at \$75,000. Its Freshman Class, which will graduate in 1903, numbers over thirty. It has an unusually able and devoted faculty — no home missionary college ever had a better in its early years — who have had their training in the best American schools. A special report was made by a representative of the Directors during the past year, the essence of which was to show good reasons for the continued and hearty endorsement and aid of this college by the Society.

Fargo College, like the New England college and its successors, the Christian colleges of the West, rests upon the principle, that a thorough and rounded education must combine learning, morality, and religion. It was incorporated in March, 1888, and entered the college building in April, 1890. It is beautifully located on the south side of Island Park in the city of Fargo. This city is the metropolis of the Red River Valley, and is an enterprising town of 12,000 people, with superior commercial, educational, and social advantages. The country-side population is largely Scandinavian, affording the best material out of which to make good American citizens. The college met with a great loss, in the past year, in the death of its president, to whom reference is made in the special report. Deep feelings of sympathy and loyalty were aroused in the hearts of the citizens of North Dakota, nor did the college ever have their firmer or more substantial support.

Rollins College is remarkable for the range of birth-

places represented in its students. These include thirty-one states, the District of Columbia, Canada, Cuba, England, Scotland, and the Philippine Islands. It is in a marked degree the expression of Congregational educational enterprise for the far South. It was planted by the General Association of Florida, in 1885. Its recitation hall, library, physical and chemical appliances, gymnasium and dormitory, are well adapted for the purposes designed. It has assets of upwards of \$100,000. Special interest in its work is increasing in view of its relation to education in Cuba. Some of its instructors are about to participate, by invitation of Harvard University, in the summer school at Cambridge conducted for the Cuban public school teachers. A vigorous effort is in progress to lift the college entirely out of debt. Additional statements, written by the presidents of Fairmount, Fargo, and Rollins, are herewith presented.

Fairmount College, Wichita, Kansas.

N. J. MORRISON, D.D., LL.D., *President.*

The fifth year of Fairmount College closed on the first day of June last with the graduation of our second *college* class, consisting of twelve members. By the side of the hundreds who received their "first degree in arts" at about the same time, this number of college graduates in a year seems insignificant. But the number is really very large for so early a period in the life of the college—much larger than Yale had in her early days, and larger also than most Western colleges of recent time, fostered by the Education Society, have had at corresponding periods of development.

During the last college year one hundred and eighty-nine students were in attendance, of whom sixty-one belonged to the four college classes. One instructor was added to our Faculty, the Professor of Psychology and Philosophy, taking the place of the President of the college, absent in the pursuit of funds.

The acknowledged high standard of teaching has been fully maintained. Important additions to our supply of scientific apparatus have been made. Over three thousand bound books, largely *new*, have been added to the library, whose contents now include fully twenty thousand bound books, besides nearly twice that number of unbound reviews, pamphlets, etc. We have added to our real estate by the purchase of an unused but valuable brick warehouse, which we have fitted up as a "dormitory" and "commons" for young men. A considerable number of city lots, originally belonging to the college, but lost when the "Wichita boom" subsided, have been recovered. Permanent improvements of much value in the main building have been effected through the generous efforts of the Fairmount Ladies' Library Club. All these additions to the assets of the college have been made without incurring debt. The salary account for the year amounted to eight thousand one hundred dollars, of which eighty per cent was promptly paid.

The home missionary work done by the college Faculty among the little churches of our environment is, perhaps, worthy of mention. One instructor has been the successful and beloved acting-pastor of two of these churches; another has ministered nearly every Sunday to various churches; while others have occasionally preached, or done regular work in Sunday Schools. In this way the college strengthens the churches, and at the same time enlarges its constituency.

During the year, progress has been made toward obtaining the Pearsons' endowment. There is reason to expect that by January 1, 1901, the amount needed to secure half of Dr. Pearsons' noble gift will be in hand. To this end the Faculty of the college, the Trustees, and local friends have pledged themselves to provide thirty thousand dollars, whenever other friends of the college shall supply the remaining forty-five thousand. Contributors to struggling colleges in the West may justly demand that moneys thus consecrated to the public weal shall be economically expended, and that the beneficiary institution shall give promise of permanence and large usefulness. In respect to economy of administra-

tion, we believe Fairmount may successfully challenge the recent history of any of her sister institutions. In respect to the second reasonable condition of financial help, the worthiness of the college is still more clear. The field is wide, the demand great, the opportunity inspiring, and the outlook for future growth superb, *provided* the munificent friends of home missions and Christian education will furnish the necessary resources. The field is large. Wichita has a population of 25,000, and is steadily growing in all the elements of a prosperous city. Within the radius of a hundred miles dwell 500,000 progressive Americans, who support two score high schools and academies, from which issue annually some five hundred graduates, each fitted for admission to the Freshman Class of the average college. Wichita is already the business and social center, and is soon to become the educational center, of this large area and population. Such is the natural constituency of Fairmount College, adequately equipped and administered.

What our Roman Catholic friends think of Wichita as an important educational and religious center, is clearly shown by their present plans for enlarging their institutions in and around the city. The Church already has a Pro-Cathedral, with its bishop and staff of officers, a large hospital, an orphans' home, and four elementary schools. They propose to expend \$300,000 during the present collegiate year on a Bishop's Palace, for the enlargement of existing schools, and in laying the foundations of a college and university. The college work has already begun under the supervision of a highly trained son of one of the oldest and most illustrious New England families.

The fall term of the college for 1900 opened September 12, with an attendance of students increased over last year by thirty-five per cent. We have added a new department of instruction, — Domestic Science, — the beginning, as we fondly hope, of a well-equipped Industrial Department soon to be. This department of our work is self-sustaining.

Fargo College, Fargo, North Dakota.

REV. JOHN H. MORLEY, LL.D., *President.*

The death of President Simmons was a great loss to Fargo College, interfering especially with the plans for endowment. His work in caring for the institution, first in connection with the Superintendency of Home Missions, and later as President, giving his full time to the college, was invaluable in rescuing the institution from debt and developing it along educational lines.

A class of three graduates this year. The number of college students is thirty. Over 100 are in the college and preparatory department; while the whole number in all departments, including the musical, is 171. Through the regular income of the college and contributions from friends, the running expenses have been met and the college has no floating indebtedness. Efforts to meet the offer of Dr. Pearsons have been pushed. The failure of crops in North Dakota prevents a general canvass this year at home, although individuals are assisting. The canvass abroad is reasonably successful, and the administration is confident as to the future of the college along both educational and financial lines. In his inaugural address, June 11, President Morley says: "A college which is wisely planted need not worry. It can afford to wait. Its full endowment is not dependent upon any one administration or any one individual. Its success is not an experiment. Its full equipment is sure to come."

As soon as the endowment is raised, the next step will be to secure additional buildings. Our one building is crowded from attic to cellar, recitations being heard in the basement, the music department occupying the parlors, and the chapel being used for religious services, prayer-meetings, recitations, and gymnastic exercises. A ladies' hall, a library, a gymnasium, and other buildings are imperatively needed.

Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida.REV. GEORGE M. WARD, D.D., *President*.

There has been a systematic growth during the past year at Rollins in all departments. New courses of study have been offered in the preparatory school and college. The business college has been reorganized and made modern in every respect. The schools of music and art have offered thorough instruction to a large number of students. The class of students at Rollins has grown more mature and more advanced. The tone of the student body has improved from year to year, until a body of young men more gentlemanly, and young women more ladylike, could be found nowhere. In a word, this has been in every department the most successful year in the history of the college. Never before have the dormitories been so filled with students. Every room in the two large dormitories, Pinehurst and Lakeside, was filled. If the number of students that board at the college increases at the same ratio another year, Rollins will need another building. The Spanish-speaking students have received their instruction in special classes, so as not to interfere with the work of the regular courses of instruction offered to the American students.

Rollins College is proud of its faculty. There is probably no college of its size in the United States that has a more scholarly corps of instructors. The members of the faculty during 1899-00 received their training in the best American and European institutions of learning.

Financially, too, the year has been a success. Our bills for the year have been all provided for, and a large payment has been made upon the old debt. The college has been greatly honored abroad during this past summer.

In the Cuban summer school at Harvard University the English work was in charge of Prof. E. C. Hills of Rollins College. The 1,400 Cuban school teachers at Harvard received two lessons a day in English for six days in the week. There were forty instructors appointed to teach the Cubans

English, and Professor Hills was put in charge of the department. To him was entrusted the work of organizing and grading the English classes, selecting the text-books, and deciding upon the proper methods of instruction. Professor Hills also prepared two small texts in the Spanish language, for the use of the Cubans. These were printed by the university, and one of them has since been purchased and published by a Boston publishing house.

The forty English instructors at Harvard this summer were, with two exceptions, graduates of Harvard and Radcliffe. Of these two, one was Mrs. C. A. Abbott, the principal of years 1 and 2 in the Rollins preparatory school, and an educator well known in Florida.

The diplomas and certificates of Rollins College have been recognized as of the highest standard by many of the Eastern colleges and universities this summer. The certificate of the Rollins preparatory school admits to the best of these colleges that accept certificates at all, and the Rollins degree of A. B. admits its possessor to the post-graduate departments of the best American universities.

ACADEMIES.

The number of academies on the list of the Society during the past year has been the same as in the preceding year, namely, seventeen. They are as follows :

Chadron Academy.	Procter Academy.
Endeavor Academy.	Puget Sound Academy.
Franklin Academy.	Rogers Academy.
German-English School.	Southern Kansas Academy.
Hull Institute.	Ward Academy.
Iberia Academy.	Weeping Water Academy.
Kidder Institute.	Windom Institute.
Kingfisher Academy.	Woodcock Academy.
North Wisconsin Academy.	

While these institutions are the actually adopted schools of the Society, yet there are others to which the good-will and endorsement of the Directors has been given, although they have not yet been fully assumed ; and these should be

mentioned. They are the Southern Collegiate Institute, Albion, Ill.; Rochester Academy, Wisconsin; Weeping Willow (formerly Noble) Academy, Missouri; Benzonia Academy, Michigan; Eells Academy, Washington; Gates Academy, Nebraska; and Weiser Academy in Idaho. Of the schools regularly listed, the state federation plan now reaches Kidder, Iberia, Weeping Willow, and Rogers, Ark., in the Missouri circle; German-English and Hull, in the Iowa circle; Endeavor, Rochester, and North Wisconsin, in the Wisconsin circle; and Windom, in Minnesota. The principal feature in the federation plan is the appointment of a special and responsible state associational committee, to coöperate with the Society in the support of the institutions in their respective states.

A more detailed report of our listed schools is here given in their alphabetical order.

Chadron Academy, Chadron, Nebraska.

This school is located on the frontier, and does educational missionary work for a wide region, including the corners of Nebraska and South Dakota, and the eastern portions of Wyoming. The nearest Congregational schools are Yankton College, 285 miles to the northeast, in another state; Gates Academy, 291 miles to the east by rail; Franklin Academy, farther yet to the southeast; Colorado College, 290 miles to the south; and Wyoming Collegiate Institute, 235 miles to the northwest. The school is an inspirational as well as an educational center of great power. Its principals undertake missionary tours to arouse the young people to a hunger for an education, and to stir up their latent ambition and desire for knowledge. When aroused, these young people, many of them, do not fit into the grooves of public school work; or if they could, would not find well-equipped schools accessible. Some of them, such as full-grown farmer lads, are of the very best material, but need the special opportunities of Chadron Academy. Others

aspire to the broader culture of such a school. Chadron is an important feeder for Doane College. Its Christian spirit is very earnest, and the Christian stamp is given to its graduates. Its students during the year have numbered sixty-two; twenty-four of these are church members. It has property worth \$14,000. There are liabilities of between \$5,000 and \$6,000. These debts are perfectly good, are carefully looked after, and are in process of reduction. The local support of the school has been most loyal. A special effort last year secured over \$1,200. The end of the year has been marked by the retirement of Principal Gillett, and the appointment to the principalship of Prof. L. M. Oberkotter, valedictorian of the class of 1894 at Doane, instructor in the Government schools in Japan for two years, recently an efficient assistant of Professor Taylor at Weeping Water, from which school he has been promoted to the leadership of Chadron. The promise for the school is bright, if friends of Christian education in the well-settled and wealthy parts of the country realize its distinctively missionary character and generously aid in its upbuilding.

Endeavor Academy, Endeavor, Wisconsin.

Endeavor Academy is situated in the village of the same name located in the south-central part of Wisconsin. The community is poor, and both in the town and in the surrounding region a majority of the people are struggling for homes. The village itself, although growing, does not number more than 150 people. The academy gives the opportunity for thorough education for the children of these hard-pressed people. The church from which it sprang originated ten years ago in a gospel tent with sixty members. The school has felt ever since the impetus of that revival movement. From the same inspiration came forth a church building, a school, the purchase of a farm, and the development of a valuable brick industry. During the year ending June, 1899, fourteen scholars were enrolled in the regular

academy course. During the present year there have been twenty-four regular students and three specials. The increase has not only been in quantity, but especially in quality. An exceptionally fine class of young people has been at work. A spiritual awakening followed the day of prayer for academies, and brought all but two into open discipleship to Christ. Meantime, the value of the academy property has increased. Neighboring lands have risen forty per cent in value in the last two years. The school has been able to sell \$2,000 worth of village lots and other property within the last eighteen months. The total assets of the school are \$12,000. Although the people have but limited means, they have within eighteen months contributed \$2,200 in subscriptions and cash. There has been begun during the year an effort to provide a proper building. The expense list probably excels every other academy in economy, the salaries of teachers footing up less than \$500. It is under the lead of Rev. R. L. Cheney, who is also pastor of the home missionary church, and is a man of great energy and devotion, who is throwing the best resources of his life into the enterprise.

Franklin Academy, Franklin, Nebraska.

This school has been called "the mother of academies" west of the Missouri River. It was adopted by the Education Society September 3, 1891, its cornerstone having been laid in August, 1879, so that it comes of age this present summer. It has had a remarkable history, having educated 1,180 students, from 220 towns, in seventeen states. There have been 107 full-course graduates, of whom it is believed that all but five have left the school professing Christians. The atmosphere of the school, while strongly intellectual, has, as its constant condition, an earnest and practical spirituality. It has had 135 students during the past year. Its assets are \$28,000. Its liabilities are being steadily reduced from \$6,000 at the beginning of the year, and will probably be removed before the beginning of another year. It has

suffered the loss by fire of Stewart Hall, the boys' dormitory, but the citizens of the village propose to open their houses and give the trustees time to plan wisely as to the best sort of building to be erected. Prof. Alexis C. Hart, a veteran in Western education, and a maker of leaders and teachers, is principal.

German-English School, Wilton Junction, Iowa.

This interesting and unique institution, the only one of the kind conducted by Congregationalists, aims to do a double work for one important section of our population. It is an academy, following the usual lines of the several Christian academies which the Society sustains; doing its work for the large number of German settlers and recent arrivals in the eastern area of Iowa. It is also a preparatory school for fitting young men for the gospel ministry in the German language, for the large number of conservative and unassimilated Germans who are in certain localities of this country. In this latter work it is an important source of supply to Chicago Theological Seminary, up to which it sends its students for the more complete training which shall make them effective preachers. Its genius is profoundly American in its theory that if people of the German stock can be led into the fullness of our national life without loss of the best in tradition and faith, which they have brought with them from the old country, the final amalgamation is all the more valuable in citizenship. The year has been a good one so far as work is concerned. Being an essentially missionary institution, it requires much more aid from the churches than some schools which can appeal to the local constituency somewhat on the ground of self-interest. The assets of the school are estimated at \$23,000. It has debts amounting to \$10,000. The Rev. M. E. Eversz of Chicago is president. The Rev. Jacob Fath is financial agent. The principal is Rev. J. F. Grove. At their last meeting the Congregational churches in Iowa entered upon the federation plan in the interest of our two Iowa schools

with a responsible committee to undertake their support. During the next year a vigorous effort is to be made by the Society's Western Field Secretary, in coöperation with this committee, to increase the interest and aid of the state churches. As the school has been warmly endorsed by the state association, this effort will undoubtedly be successful.

Hull Institute, Hull, Iowa.

This academy is in the newest and most sparsely settled part of the state, in the remote northwest. It has been recognized as the distinctively Congregational academy for that section by successive state and local associations which have commended it to the churches for financial aid. It has real estate and buildings in Hull; a school building, a ladies' dormitory, and a campus of nearly five acres; the whole being valued at about \$15,000. There is an indebtedness against this property of about \$1,800. There are no floating debts. The school has a small endowment fund amounting to \$4,000, bearing interest at seven per cent. There are very few high schools, even, near Hull, which can prepare students for college. Large settlements of Hollanders, Germans, and Norwegians are near the town, who are the objects of the school's patriotic and Christian effort. The institution will be under the care of Prof. Arthur R. Chase, son of Rev. J. B. Chase, hitherto principal, for the school year 1900-1901. Mr. Chase has been his father's assistant for three years, and is a thoroughly trained, practical, and earnest young man. The prospect for students is better, and the loyal support of the churches East and West is alone needed to supplement the efforts of the citizens and to enable the school to do a noble missionary work.

Iberia Academy, Iberia, Missouri.

This school was founded in 1890. The property had been developed for a normal school by the people of the town, but it was taken on a mortgage and afterward bought

by the Congregational church for an academy. In the fall of 1890, Prin. G. Byron Smith organized the work on its present basis. In 1892, a debt of \$1,200 was lifted, and since then the academy has been kept entirely free from debt. The past year has been its best. The enrollment is ninety-two, twenty per cent ahead of any previous year. As it is the only secondary school in a region as large as Connecticut, its opportunity for growth is unlimited. The pressing need is more room—recitation rooms and dormitories. The school rents five houses, which have been filled with students. Twenty-eight of these students are boarding themselves at from thirty to fifty cents a week. The boys who come are fine manly fellows, and have worked for self-support in a stone quarry owned by the academy, receiving from fifty to seventy-five cents per day of ten hours. For lack of accommodation in the school building, a number of young people of similar stuff have been turned away. The tone of the school, given to it by the spirit of everyone connected with it, friends, trustees, teachers, and pupils, is an inspiring union of hopefulness, heroism, and Christian consecration.

Kidder Institute, Kidder, Missouri.

This is the only Congregational school in Missouri north of the great river. The town was settled by New England people who have preserved the traditions of their origin, and as the people in the region about are from every quarter, the situation is an ideal one for maintaining "a New England academy out West." It originated in 1884 with the purchase of the large brick building once known as Thayer College. The Ladies' hall was built in 1890, at a cost of \$5,000. The campus, buildings, library, laboratory, and improvements, comprise an educational plant worth \$25,000. The whole number of pupils enrolled from the beginning has been 2,307, of whom 152 have graduated. The Institute is favored with a very strong Board of Trustees, com-

posed of some of the best men in the vicinity, and leading men in St. Joseph, Kansas City, and St. Louis. There have been ninety pupils at work during this past year, all but two in regular academic classes. Of these, fifty-nine are church members, and nine have been converted during the year. These students are of exceptional ability and promise; are industrious, zealous, and enthusiastic. The whole year's work has been one of the best in the history of the school. Prof. George W. Shaw, A.M., is the principal.

Kingfisher Academy, Kingfisher, Oklahoma.

Kingfisher Academy, under the vigorous lead of Rev. J. T. House, closes a year in which great advance has been made in the face of obstacles. The school was quarantined for a period, but maintained, within the limitations thus compelled, spiritual exercise and intellectual work of a strenuous character. A notable feature has been the large accession of young men. The Julia Gilbert Hall for boys has been completed, and there is a sure promise that it will be filled to overflowing with the beginning of the new year. The main building has been almost completed, and the large chapel which one year ago had bare walls and rafters, is now well-nigh covered with a corrugated steel ceiling. The classrooms are beautifully furnished, although additional furniture, seats, and desks are still needed. It is probable that the coming school year will have an enrollment of 175 pupils. Almost all of the students are doing regular and not special work. The assets are placed at \$26,000, with liabilities less than \$3,000. The upward striving ambition of the academy will not be checked at simply academic work, but a college curriculum has been arranged, and during this past year sixteen students have been engaged in this higher work. These facts, together with the vigor of the management and the prosperity of Oklahoma, betoken great advance in the future.

North Wisconsin Academy, Ashland, Wisconsin.

Northern Wisconsin is rapidly growing in population, and the academy at Ashland is charged with a work of critical importance in its behalf. Wisconsin is one of the states in which the churches have adopted our federation plan; and the able committee headed by Prof. A. W. Burr, of Beloit College, says of this work: "To save our children from bread and butter ideals, from false ambitions, and a false philosophy of life, they need Christian teachers, an honored Bible, a Christian atmosphere. The Christian academy in a commonwealth, like the Christian man in a community, is a witness and an inspiration to higher ideals." There is no other Christian academy of any Protestant denomination in a vast and growing region. The nearest Christian college is 248 miles distant. Our academy is under the strong leadership of Rev. M. J. Fenenga. The last year has been a remarkable one in the final clearing off of a debt of \$17,000. The Western Field Secretary of this Society was largely instrumental in accomplishing this splendid work. A great jubilee was held January 1, 1900, presided over by Colonel McCormick of Hayward, president of the Board of Trustees, at which addresses were given by various members of the Board and friends of the school. The last mortgage was burned, and a flash light picture of the scene was taken. The enrollment, which began with thirty, had reached forty-six at the jubilee meeting, and the movement of the school in every respect has been strong and full of promise up to the end of the year.

Procter Academy, Provo City, Utah.

This institution has had the best year in its history. Its pupils have reached an enrollment of 250, and every department has been vigorously conducted. Rev. S. H. Goodwin is the principal, and he has with him an able corps of teachers. Provo City is a very strong Mormon center. Brigham Young Academy is there, with 600 students. Training for Mormon missionary effort is principally conducted in

this great school. An expedition has this last year been undertaken by one of the professors and a select following of students to explore historical monuments in Peru. Nevertheless, our academy has the good-will of all classes in Provo City, and many of its pupils are from Mormon families. This is especially true of the younger children. A kindergarten has been conducted and has been very popular. The assets of the school, including campus, buildings, furniture, apparatus, and library are placed at \$12,000. This efficient school is a standing proof that the educational method of solving questions raised by Mormonism is a wise, acceptable, and effective one. The work belongs to the comprehensive system of effort which has been in important features re-organized, and is described under the head of Work in Utah. The expense of Procter Academy, with the exception of \$450, raised from tuitions and local gifts, is entirely borne by the general treasury of the Education Society, which will put into it for the year 1900-1901, \$4,100. This money must be contributed by the Congregational churches at large.

Puget Sound Academy, Snohomish, Washington.

Puget Sound Academy was incorporated September 4, 1886. Until the fall of 1898, the academy was located at Coupeville, the county seat of Island county. With the development of railroads in 1892, centers of population and travel shifted. In the fall of 1898, the location of the academy was changed to Snohomish, and it became possessed of a much more central and valuable property. The present assets are placed at \$28,000, of which \$23,000 is in the buildings. It came into a community in which it found loyal support from the citizens, from whose families many of the pupils are drawn. It has a fine reference library of 1,000 volumes. There are no debts, except small current expense accounts. The number of students in all departments has been 100, of whom there have been twenty-two in the business department, thirty-seven in academic classes, and forty-one in that of music and art.

Rogers Academy, Rogers, Arkansas.

Rogers Academy is located at Rogers, Arkansas; a city of 2,500 inhabitants, at the junction of the St. Louis & San Francisco and the Arkansas & Oklahoma Railroad, and which is the principal shipping point in Benton county, the north-west county of the state. It has two buildings, with a campus of eight acres. The academy building proper is large and commodious, with an assembly room, several recitation rooms, library, laboratory, and music rooms. The third floor is used for a dormitory for young men. The young ladies' dormitory is called Elizabeth Hall. Here also the principal and teachers make their home. The academy was begun in 1882, and is a preparatory school for Drury College. It is of distinctly home missionary character, and was conducted at first under the auspices of the Home Missionary Society, passing to the Education Society in 1897. The life of thousands of mountain whites in Missouri and Arkansas is one of monotonous squalor and heavy shadows. All religious aspirations have been repressed by the ignorance and inefficiency of native preachers. To awaken their youth and inspire them for Christian education and its results in progress and leadership, is the work of Rogers. The principal is Morrison Weimer, A.B. The assets of the school are estimated at \$15,000. The liabilities amount to \$3,000, and are carefully supervised by the local trustees. It is missionary work and requires generous support.

Southern Kansas Academy, Eureka, Kansas.

Eureka, situated in southeastern Kansas, is a town of 2,500 inhabitants. It was early settled by educated and upright people, and has ever since kept that character. The academy is a distinctly Christian school. Its professed aim is to secure moral as well as mental training, and to develop all the capabilities of the students necessary to a well-rounded character. The last year has been its best. Under six instructors have been enrolled 104 regular students. Adding

the number of special students (commercial, music, art, etc.), the total number reaches the remarkable figure of 205. The academy building is a fine three-story structure of brick trimmed with stone. There are five recitation rooms, besides the chapel, library, gymnasium, and printing office. It is located in the center of a campus of sixteen acres, and its outlook commands a wide sweep of country. Its total assets are \$13,500. There is no mortgage indebtedness. There is great loyalty felt by the community for their school, and an effort to provide an endowment is under discussion. The school, however, is no local affair, and in its Christianizing and missionary aspect requires and should receive the aid of the Congregational churches of the country, under whose auspices it is conducted. Prof. J. W. Scroggs is the able and efficient principal.

Ward Academy, Academy, South Dakota.

This is one of the very best schools in our entire system. It is under the leadership of Rev. L. E. Camfield, who with his brave wife has been doing a work of the highest patriotic, and it may be fairly said, heroic character, for the last six years. Some of his friends have thought that in a settlement so remote from the large centers as is the village of Academy, South Dakota, this good and true man was throwing his life away. A visit to the school converts them from this error. It is the only true high school in Douglas and Charles Mix counties. Pupils come from five to fifty miles. There is a very deep feeling of gratitude and loyalty entertained by the parents of the young people. A visitor at a recent anniversary counted one hundred teams of those who had come from long distances over the prairies. During the past year there have been great efforts put forth to erect a church in the town of Academy, where the students attend. The school is one of the most economical. Of the \$2,800 needed, \$2,000 is raised from the gifts of the people, tuitions, and the products of the school farm. Last year the boys

raised enough potatoes for school uses, and \$100 worth more in addition. The school is an important feeder for Yankton College. It is of a distinctively missionary character in a pioneer, frontier community financially poor. There is the strategic fact connected with the place as an educational center, that the academy owns the land, and thus the certainty of excluding saloons and evil resorts is assured. The assets amount to \$17,000, one-half of which is in the productive farm property worked by members of the school. Far from Mr. Camfield's life being wasted, he has already built a monument worthy of a life-time's work.

Weeping Water Academy, Weeping Water, Nebraska.

The year at **Weeping Water** has been quite encouraging. During the year a donation of a store building and a lot has been made. The old property has been repaired and improved. The attendance is the best ever had, and the interest and enthusiasm have been steadily growing. The financiering of this admirably conducted academy is of the most thorough and careful character. It has assets of nearly \$11,000. There are no liabilities in the shape of mortgages, notes, or interest. They closed the year with a deficit in the salary account which they propose to meet. This splendid showing is only due to the most systematic and constant effort. The community are perpetually under demand, and respond to the limit of their power. New buildings are an urgent necessity. The main school building at present is the old church. There have been eighty-six students, of whom eighty-three have been academic. Sixty of these are church members, and there have been eighteen conversions during the year. This means a constant spiritual influence reaching nearly twenty-five per cent of the scholars. In whatever way this school is looked at, whether as a spiritual force, an educational center, or an instance of economical and vigorous management, it is one of the brightest points in Nebraska, or in the great middle West.

Windom Institute, Montevideo, Minnesota.

The institution was founded in 1888 by prominent Congregationalists, among whom was President Strong of Carleton College. In 1891 it was called Windom Institute, in honor of Hon. William Windom, secretary of the United States Treasury. The present brick building was constructed in this same year, and named the "E. P. Jones" Building, after the most prominent donor. The institute faces an increasingly important work. Its constituency consists largely of Scandinavians, and the school is helping to solve the problem of what shall become of the second generation of these immigrants. It takes part in an evolution from almost total Scandinavianism to American ideas in church, community, and home. But the school also, as with other of our academies, reaches out for the boys and girls who wake up at about the age of sixteen to the thought of the importance of an education, at which time they are entirely out of gear with the public school system. On both these lines the institute is doing a great work. The attendance has ranged as high as an average of 150 in the last few years. The financial prospects are bright, provided the needed means can be obtained for next year. A strenuous effort is being made to cancel a debt of \$5,000. This being accomplished and current expenses being met, the financial safety and independence of the school will be assured by the payment of a legacy from Mr. Walter S. Benton, of \$25,000, for endowment. This payment will be made on or about July 1, 1901, and this circumstance naturally brightens the outlook for the institute.

Woodcock Academy, Ahtanum, Washington.

In the fall of 1889, the Yakima Association of Congregational churches in the state of Washington, acting on the repeated counsels of Rev. A. G. Atkinson of Portland, determined to plant a Christian academy, and Ahtanum was selected as its location. By the fall of 1892, a commodious

building costing \$8,000 had been equipped, and the school opened on September 26 of that year. Since that time 250 students have enjoyed its advantages. The successive principals have been W. M. Heiney, Rev. F. T. McConaughy, N. P. Hull, J. M. Richardson, O. C. Palmer, and Rev. W. L. Dawson. Its present assets are \$9,130. Whitman College holds a mortgage for \$2,500. Its enrollment the past year, not counting special students, has been forty-two. Substantial grants from the Education Society will be necessary for some time to come. The principal for the coming school year will be Rev. Rosine Edwards, who succeeds Mr. Dawson. She is a graduate of Whitman College, studied in Pacific Theological Seminary, and has been preaching in Washington for four years. Miss Edwards is the daughter of the Rev. Jonathan Edwards, until recently of Spokane. Her assistant will be Mr. Ernest S. Woodcock, a son of Mr. Fenn B. Woodcock, who was the principle agent in the founding of the school. A vigorous and hopeful administration is assured.

WORK IN NEW MEXICO AND UTAH.

THESE two great fields of effort which have been in charge of the Society since its assumption of the work of the New West Education Commission, have received much attention during the past year. A special journey was made by the secretary for the purpose of inspecting and in some cases of reorganizing the work. This work is in the highest degree attractive for historical, religious, and educational reasons. Historically, there is the vivid interest, enhanced by comparison, in the Mexicans, on the one hand, those non-progressive descendants of Spaniard and Aztec, who have been as they are and where they are for hundreds of years; and, on the other hand, in the contrasted Mormons, whose life has been one succession of movement, struggle, emigration, ingathering, and missionary enterprise; and who are perhaps the most restless collection of people in the country. Then religiously, the Mexicans are absolutely stationary: - members of fossildom, without life and with only a superstitious type of faith. Whereas the Mormons are nothing if not aggressive, full of faith in themselves, and in their supposed illuminating gift to the world. Educationally, the work in both cases is for the children; but in New Mexico, for very backward children; while in Utah for very vigorous, but poorly trained children; the work in both cases being for the upbuilding of the home; and, by the home, of the state.

A change of emphasis has marked our work in both regions. In New Mexico the change consists in the endeavor to transfer our property values from Las Vegas, Albuquerque, and El Paso, Texas, to the remote and more needy regions where the Mexican life requires uplifting. The Rev. Gordon E. Birlaw, for some years stationed at

San Rafael, and himself a far-sighted man, who understood the Mexicans as few have, earnestly declared that the industrial training so much in evidence for the colored people and the Indians is equally needed by the Mexicans. This good friend of the adobe people thought that such a school should not be located in some large town, but out in the midst of the Mexican life, where land would be cheap, and water abundant; and where the institution would not only avail to train the pupils, but be an object-lesson to parents and communities. The question has to do with the best application of our limited resources under the peculiar conditions of that substantially foreign, though historically ancient American, territory of New Mexico.

Similarly, the phrase "change of emphasis" well describes the new plans of the Society in Utah. Here our work may be expressed as the endeavor to make alliance with the better elements and forces among the Mormons as contrasted with the method of severe protest against their gross and dangerous tendencies and tenets; and the attempt to solve the Mormon question, so far as possible, by practical helpfulness. This does not imply any good-natured blindness to Mormon error. The strength and ambition of Mormon ecclesiastics is recognized, their push for extended influence, their fixed purpose to put church above state in state affairs, so far as limitations imposed upon them from without will allow; the offensive character of some doctrines which they still cherish, although the particular doctrine of polygamy is dying out of practical observance; their un-American devotion to Mormon interests carried to the edge of disloyalty to the nation, although at this point the Mormon leaders would enter a vigorous protest. But in spite of all this, there is no denying that there is promise in the Mormon situation. One simply needs to visit Utah to see that the Mormons live, on the whole, a thrifty and a happy life. There is hope, at least, in a degree of prosperity. Bitterness and wrath are then less apt to be elements of character. Nor can it be denied that in other respects the Mormon situation is improving; their politics are broadening, their doctrines are

becoming spiritualized, their isolation is forever gone, their young people are breathing the air of a larger life. If there are intense ironclad Mormons of the old type, so there are progressive and liberal members of this great church. There is a better side upon which our efforts may lay hold in the spirit, so to speak, of alliance. By this relation, the better self of Mormonism is arrayed against the worser self, and "a house divided against itself" cannot stand, but must give way to some higher synthesis, which shall be a new stage in the progress of American Christian life.

NEW MEXICO.

To describe more particularly the work in New Mexico, a single phrase can be employed. It is "Life building by Love and Light." New Mexico is a sunny country, but needs the shining of that Sun whose influence is moral and religious warmth and truth. Three things strike one in visiting the New Mexican villages; one is, their great need of education in all that pertains to life. Next, one cannot but feel the affectionate and responsive nature of the people. They welcome friendships and believe in the sincerity of those who help them. Again, the fitness of the Bible is strikingly apt in the land where scenery and home life are so like those of Palestine. The general difficulty is the inertia and backwardness of the people, resulting largely from the deadening influence of the type of religious life in which they have been trained. Moreover, each village has its special type of problem according as ignorance or vice, poverty or superstition, seems most prominent in the community. All factors are present in all, but in different proportions.

San Rafael.

Our school in this picturesque town, one of the wealthiest centers of the sheep-raising industry, with its good fields, abundant water, and extended ranges, has had a most successful year. It has been in charge of Miss Honora DeBusk

and Miss Susan Gillett, both of them being graduates of Colorado College, which splendid institution is one of our best sources of supply for all missionary work in the Rocky Mountain region. The place of Rev. Mr. Birlew, as the home missionary for the circle of villages of which San Rafael is the principal, has been taken by Rev. A. H. Heald, whose coöperation with the teachers has been of great value. The enrollment has reached 100. The general character of the work can be described by no narrower a term than "Social Settlement Work." The time and energy of our two teachers is constantly occupied. When they are not teaching they are receiving calls, or entering the little cottages, and teaching the mothers how to make a home, or holding sewing schools for the girls, and singing meetings for the boys. During the spring and early summer the buildings have been put in better repair. As an example of our teachers' work, it should be remarked that even the little Catholic school, with its very rudimentary and imperfect instruction, has felt the impulse from the stronger sister; and the young girl who has taught the weaker school has been the recipient of courtesies and guidance from our devoted and farseeing teachers. It is hoped that San Rafael may become the center for that more extended industrial work which has already been suggested. The ladies of Ohio, Iowa, and Colorado sustain this school.

Cubero.

A village of a different character is that of Cubero, some thirty miles from San Rafael, and twelve miles from the railroad station at Laguna. The problem here is somewhat different from that at San Rafael in that the vicious tendencies of the people are more marked, and it has been harder to win the good-will of the people. But Mrs. L. A. Collings, with Miss Laura Collings, her daughter, as her efficient helper, has won the love and following of the people to a remarkable degree. During the past year thorough repairs have been made in the school building, and this labor is to be followed by additional repairs in the dwelling house, dur-

ing the coming year. A successful feature of the work has been the kindergarten instruction given by Miss Collings. A description written by her of the life of a school day, as these children live it, is full of animation and movement. Miss Collings has employed, as the result of her own inventive wit, the most modern method in teaching the little ones English; using the eye and ear together as employed upon the simple objects of the schoolroom, and thus building up conversational facility. Mrs. Collings aims to give a patriotic turn to the school influence, and the flag exercises on the last Washington's Birthday packed the schoolhouse with visitors, and made a great local impression. Even the "Penitentes" — the ascetic, self-torturing, Catholic organization, observing the discipline of our children, borrowed some of them to lead the march in their solemn procession on Good Friday, furnishing a beautiful illustration of the prophet's word, "a little child shall lead them," and thereby summing up the real significance of our New Mexican work. The ladies of Illinois are especially interested in and support this school.

San Mateo.

The work in this mountain town has been conducted for the past year by Miss Nina E. Lamson and Miss Mary E. Sherwin. It is sustained, both as to salaries and equipment, by the Woman's Home Missionary Union of New York State. The work has followed the same lines pursued last year. The village is twenty-five miles from the railroad station of Grants. It is reached by an exceedingly sandy, or, in the rainy times, muddy road, and is thus especially inaccessible. It is a center for sheep herding, and during the lambing season the camp fires of the shepherds can be seen all about upon the mountain sides. Two or three small villages are also within the radius of a few miles, and for this scattered population our mission school holds up a shining Christian light. Miss Lamson's work can be described as that of a medical missionary. The children and their mothers constantly come to her for the help of healing.

She has been accustomed to traverse long distances between the villages when the cry of the sick child or the mother in trouble has reached her ears. There is not a Mexican home where she is not welcome, and she has deliberately chosen to remain at San Mateo rather than accept invitations to serve in easier places. In this brave Christian work Miss Sherwin coöperates with the utmost helpfulness and enthusiasm. At their meeting in May, the New York ladies raised enough money, in addition to their usual grant, to provide Miss Lamson with a horse, which is to be named "Homer" as appropriate to the name of the town in which the convention was held.

Cabazon.

The mission at Cabazon was undertaken last October. This point is the most remote of our schools, being sixty-five miles from the railroad, northwest from Albuquerque. It was originally a trading post on the old Santa Fé and Prescott trail, being then named La Posta. It was distinguished for its wild and immoral character. Christian work at this point was undertaken, in October, 1899, by Miss Elizabeth Borden, who was accompanied by her mother, Rev. Mary J. Borden, well known in New Mexico as president of the Territorial W. C. T. U., and a woman of much strength and consecration of character. The school has been successful from the first, though it was first held in an abandoned saloon. Priestly opposition has died down, and it has become evident that the work is worth the erection of a schoolhouse and the provision of a home for the teacher. The grant has been voted for this purpose, and the necessary real estate has already been purchased. The ladies of the New Hampshire and New Jersey Unions have united in sustaining the school, and the former provided the money (\$100) for the purchase of the property. The New Hampshire ladies are also to take the entire burden of the school upon them next year; while the New Jersey ladies are to aid the critically important work at Coalville, Utah. The desire of the people

for the return of Miss Borden and her mother is seen by the readiness with which they undertook the manual labor required in building the new schoolhouse. Cabezón is but one of several points where the Education Society should develop new missions without delay.

Los Ranchos de Atrisco.

The Society has two missions in or near the city of Albuquerque. Of these, Los Ranchos de Atrisco is one of the most firmly established and useful schools in the entire circle of our work. It is located four miles from Albuquerque on the western bank of the Rio Grande River. The town is thrifty for a Mexican village; the people are many of them well-to-do farmers; the houses are neat; the Roman Catholic church is well kept up; and the intensity and practical results of the type of Roman Catholicism prevailing among these Mexicans can there be studied with profit. The Society has an excellent school building with two rooms opening out together, in which also the little home missionary church is held under the pastorate of Rev. Mr. Moya. The teachers keep house together, renting the convenient wing of the dwelling in which one of the strongest Protestant families live. Miss Ida L. Frost has been, as for many years past, the principal; and Miss Retta Moore has given her efficient assistance and most congenial companionship. It is a source of great regret that Miss Frost's labors close with the present year, although it is hoped that after a while she may return to the work in which she has been so signally successful. Miss Moore will continue, and her experience and wisdom will greatly help the teacher who will take Miss Frost's place. The special character of the work at Atrisco illustrates the varying proportion in which the needs of the Mexicans confront our teachers. The problems here are religious and educational; at San Mateo charitable and sanitary; at Cubero patriotic and reformatory; although, as has been said, all elements meet at all the points, in varying degrees.

Barelas.

Barelas is a suburb of Albuquerque, and ought to be within the limits of the city government. It is probably the most difficult point in our circle of schools, which may seem strange, in view of its close relation to a vigorous and progressive little city. But just as the hardest Christian work today is found on the east side of Manhattan Island, or in the Whitechapel section of London, so at Barelas there is found a concentration of forces which oppose Christian enterprise. The Mexicans are not so free, as in the remote villages, from priestly influence. The Roman Catholic nuns are able to pursue an aggressive opposition. While some of the Mexicans are well to do, some of the very poorest are found here. The work is not without certain features met with in the city slums. Altogether, it is a hard place; and the work has been pursued in the face of these obstacles but with great courage and fidelity, by Miss Louise S. Winston, and by her mother, Mrs. Harriet B. Winston, who succeeded Miss Mary Osgood in the principalship. They have maintained an excellent work, in spite of all; but so acute has the antagonism become toward the end of the year, including the building of a Catholic schoolhouse by the very side of our mission, that it is judged best to transfer the work (if the sale of the old property and the purchase of new can be accomplished without loss) to the different part of the Mexican community, known as Lower Barelas. Here there are several Protestant families, and the work is removed from the center of opposition. The school will be opened next fall with one teacher, Miss Winston taking charge of the whole work. The prospects are bright for a large attendance, and sure for a good one. There has been no disposition to yield to unjust persecution in making this move. But as the aim of the Society's work is one of educating and leavening the people rather than that of a religious propaganda, it has been judged that a quiet withdrawal to a point where there is an evident need might preserve the results of past work, manifest Christian patience and good will, and gain more fruit.

UTAH.

Reference has already been made to the modification in the attitude of our work in Utah in view of a change in Utah itself. No one can visit this interesting state without receiving the impression of inexhaustible vitality and resources. New agricultural, stock-raising, and mining enterprises are continually opening. Best of all, the schools are crowded with young people, whose faces are bright and full of promise. The old style of Mormon, man or woman, seems an anachronism in the streets of Salt Lake or Provo. The impact of the national life in the Roberts case, which taught Utah some sharp lessons last autumn, has brought a wholesome stimulus. The key to the situation is the control of the educational forces. The liberty of the truth is the best immediate gift which Congregational churches can make in Utah. Far from the present being a time when our churches should slacken their efforts, it is the opportune moment for pushing the work. But it must be done with the distinct purpose of influencing the educational life of the people as a whole. With this end in view, the past spring has shown a work of reconstruction in the institution at Salt Lake City. Salt Lake College, with its preparatory school, known as Gordon Academy, and with its commodious and well-equipped Hammond Hall and supplementary buildings, has been a cherished object of the efforts of Congregationalists, who were the first to have an incorporated institution in the city. But it requires a long time, a large constituency, and abundant means to build up a modern college; and such an institution is generally the product of an imperative demand. The question is, What should be our present educational gift? and the answer today in Utah is, whatever it may be twenty-five years from now, Good Teachers, who shall successfully compete, by virtue of their superior training, for places in the public schools. Furthermore, there is need of developing sources of supply for such an institution in a series of schools, up through which the children shall climb, until they can receive the higher training necessary to those

who aspire to teach, for their life work. The reconstruction of our Utah work has followed these lines. At Salt Lake City we have strengthened Gordon Academy, and turned the college for the present into a training school for teachers. We have created a superintendency of all of our schools, including Proctor Academy, Lehi Academy, and the schools at Heber, Coalville, and Bountiful. Such schools need multiplying, and ought to reach again the number sustained formerly by the New West Education Commission. There is a whole line of villages from Kamas to Coalville, east of and parallel to a line drawn from Salt Lake City down to Provo, in any one of which a school would be a benediction for the general purposes of Christian civilization, aside entirely from the Mormon problem. As superintendent of the schools which we already have, Prof. Frank W. Smith has been appointed. He is the principal of the Salt Lake institution, having with him as assistants in that work, Prof. E. A. Farrington, Miss Bessie C. Peek, and Miss Blanche Atchison. In the schools which he superintends he is to coördinate and unify courses of study, hold institutes, give lectures, and in every way guide and help the teachers. Proctor Academy has already been reported. This strong school is not included under the superintendency because of its own needs, so much as that it may be a part of the comprehensive system. Of the other schools, Lehi Academy is properly mentioned first.

Lehi Academy.

The town of Lehi, with its population of three thousand, is the center of the beet industry, and has the promise of increasing prosperity. Like Provo City it is in the great Utah Lake valley, south of the Salt Lake Valley, and the scenery is magnificent. The snow-clad Wasatch Mountains provide inexhaustible irrigation supplies, and the railroad communications are the best. The school has flourished under the care of Rev. Walter S. Harling. His assistant has been Miss Edith Buckland, who was obliged, however, to discontinue her work during the year on account of ill

health, and Mrs. Harling took her place. The latter has proved a most efficient teacher, having had much experience, and being possessed of remarkable gifts in winning and holding the children. The attendance on the part of the younger children has been the largest, while the whole enrollment has been about seventy-five. It is to be regretted that Mr. Harling himself is not to continue as principal of the school, as he is compelled to pursue an outdoor life; but Mrs. Harling will be in charge of the younger grades next year. The time seems ripe for attempting to organize a church at Lehi, and it is expected that by the plan which works so well at Coalville and at Provo City, the Home Missionary Society will unite with us in the support of a man who shall act as pastor-principal.

Coalville.

The work at Coalville appears to concentrate the difficulties of our work in Utah. The town is intensely Mormon, being the residence of the president of the stake; and yet it has a worldly and reckless tone due to the mining interests that center there. Influences against religion, morality, and education are thus especially strong, and sometimes bitter; and it requires great wisdom and courage on the part of those who lead our enterprise to make headway against them. We are fortunate in having as pastor-principal, Rev. A. C. Warner, and his wife, who has assisted him. They have developed a steadily improving work. They are both natural born teachers, and Mr. Warner is a man of good sense and great tact. The little schoolhouse has been crowded on special occasions, and the good-will of the community has been won. The building has been in great need of repairs, and these are to be undertaken this summer by an emergency grant, and by the assistance of the Illinois Woman's Home Missionary Union, which is specially interested in the Coalville work. Mrs. Warner will probably withdraw from teaching for the next year, and her place will be taken by Miss Etta M. Shepherd, formerly a teacher in Utah under the New West Education Commission.

Heber.

The town of Heber is situated in the beautiful valley of that name, and reminds one of an average New England village with its broad streets and comfortable little homes. Beneath this quiet exterior there is, however, no small degree of lawlessness among the young people and children, shown by their roaming about at night, and by their habits of amusement. It is almost solidly Mormon, and the public schools in the place are wholly under Mormon influence. We have maintained an excellent school in care of Miss Jessamine A. Shepherd and Miss May B. Tiffany, the latter having the younger children. The church enterprise attempted last year has been given up, but our teachers hold Sunday School services. As they keep house together in the school building, they are able to help the children socially as well as educationally. A marked feature of their work has been the effort for boys. Our teachers have been very popular with the lads, and have allowed them to spend a great many happy social evenings with them in their cosy parlor, with games, reading, and conversation, which have impressed their pupils for good and kept them safe from street influences. Miss Tiffany closes her labors with this year, much to the regret of the Society and the Heber people; and her place will be taken next year by Miss Ethel Shepherd, the sister of the principal. The Woman's Home Missionary organizations especially interested in this school are those of Massachusetts and Michigan.

Bountiful.

Miss Eugenia Munger has continued her good work in Bountiful. She is supported by the Massachusetts Woman's Home Missionary Association. She has no assistant, and her work closely resembles that of the New England district school teacher of twenty-five years ago. The enrollment has been in the neighborhood of forty. Miss Munger has conducted a Sunday School, and of late has been assisted by Miss Buckland, formerly of Lehi, who it is hoped will con-

tinue to help her with the Sunday School work next year. Miss Munger lives in the school building, and her home life is also a source of Christian helpfulness to the families whose children she teaches. Needed repairs are being provided for, and the prospects are that the next year will show the same quiet, steady, and effective type of Christian influence, which, in the long run, has never failed to receive and to give a blessing.

In connection with this review remark should be made expressive of the very cordial relations existing between the workers and agents of the Home Missionary Society and our teachers, where their duties have brought them together, whether in New Mexico or Utah.

WORK OF THE WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY ORGANIZATIONS THROUGH THE EDUCATION SOCIETY.

Special attention should be called to the very noteworthy and effective part taken in the work of this Society, and especially in Utah and New Mexico, by the several women's organizations in the various states. Our efforts in the New West field, as well as in several important colleges and academies, are largely dependent for success and growth upon gifts from these sources. As was remarked in the last annual report, the New West work has to do with the homes of Utah and New Mexico, and with the children in them; and therefore it is a beautiful circumstance that the motherly and philanthropic love of the women in our churches should be thus engaged. Some of the unions, having Home Missionary academies in their own states, contribute generously to these. Such are the strong organizations of Missouri, Nebraska, and Washington. The Woman's Home Missionary Association of Massachusetts and Rhode Island leads in its benefactions to our work throughout the wide field. A special appropriation is made by it for our theological scholarship department. Grants have been made to Rollins College, Rogers Academy, and to the German-English School. The list of its bestowals to the work in Utah and New Mexico includes the salaries of Miss Peek at Gordon Academy, Mrs. Harling at Lehi, Miss Shepherd at Heber, Miss Munger at Bountiful, Miss Dudley at Atrisco, and Miss Winston at Barelás. The total footings of these generous gifts appear under the Massachusetts contributions in our acknowledgment of receipts. The ladies of the New York W. H. M. U. sustain the entire expense of the school at San Mateo, and contribute to the Bethlehem Bohemian

Training School in Cleveland. The Illinois ladies pay the salary of Miss Etta Shepherd of Coalville, and of Mrs. Collings of Cubero; and the young people are undertaking to raise the salary of Miss Laura Collings, who assists her mother. This Union contributes also to the German-English School, and to the Bethlehem School at Cleveland. Beside these large givers, the Vermont ladies contribute the salary of a teacher at Lehi, and make an annual grant to Rollins College; the Michigan ladies are to undertake the larger part of the second salary at Heber, to which also the Wisconsin ladies, who have been helping Barelás, will contribute next year. The Connecticut ladies help sustain Miss Moore at Atrisco, also contributing to Kingfisher Academy and the Bethlehem School. The ladies of Minnesota and South Dakota are to concentrate their gifts on the Atrisco School. The Ohio ladies sustain Miss DeBusk at San Rafael; and the Colorado and Iowa ladies have united to pay the salary of Miss Smith, of the same school, for next year, as of Miss Gillett in the past. The expenses of the Cabezon School have been borne by the ladies of New Hampshire and New Jersey. The New Hampshire ladies will carry it alone next year, while the New Jersey ladies will give a helping hand to the work in Coalville, Utah. Substantial gifts also come from the ladies of Oregon and Idaho. It will thus be seen that these various organizations are really doing most of the work in the smaller schools throughout the New West field. The larger institutions at Salt Lake and Provo City, and the superintendency of the Utah schools is, with the exception of Miss Peek's salary, altogether sustained by the general treasury of the Society, at an outlay of \$8,000. The Society also bears all expense of insurance, and with the single exception of San Mateo, of repairs; save as now and then a special grant can be made, or surplus divided, by some one of the unions. The interest of the ladies in the various missions is chiefly maintained by the letters from the teachers, of which the cost of printing and illustrating, and the work of distribution, is borne by the Society. There are always a great many minor expenses which the Society

meets, and which accumulate during the year to a considerable amount. The expense of the schools in Utah and New Mexico would approximate \$20,000, of which perhaps two-fifths are borne by the ladies' unions. This is, of course, a magnificent contribution, without which the work could not go on. Much less could there be any thought of an expansion, with increase in the number of schools, which ought to appear in the immediate work of the years now upon us. For help and hope given, the Education Society is profoundly grateful to the women's organizations; and earnestly requests that the good work begun by them may continue and increase.

REPORT OF THEODORE CLIFTON, D.D.,
Western Field Secretary.

*To the General Secretary, Directors, and Members of the
Congregational Education Society.*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit to you my second annual report. That which I sent you last year covered eighteen months of service, the first year having been fractional and no report of it having been sent in. So, while this is my second report, it comes to you at the third annual meeting since my connection with the Education Society as its Western Field Secretary.

When I was appointed to this office just two and a half years ago, the Directors of the Society were assured by those who recommended me, that if appointed, I would build up the Western field; that the constituency of the Society in the West would gradually increase; that the income from the West would steadily grow; and that the Society would find itself strengthened in the Interior states. These recommendations and the expectation they created in the minds of the Directors put great responsibility upon me, and my appointment and its acceptance imposed upon me a difficult task. This task I have tried faithfully to perform. And now at the close of my second full year's work, some questions recur to me with deep interest. Are these expectations being met? Is the constituency of the Society increasing? Is its income growing? Is the Society being strengthened in the West?

To answer these questions I have examined the records and find that there have been substantial gains. During the fiscal year closing June 1, 1899, there were 414 churches, 20 Sunday Schools, and 26 Endeavor Societies which contributed to the Society, beside 264 individual contributors.

This year just closed there have been 556 churches, 52 Sunday Schools, 129 Endeavor Societies, and 278 individual contributors, showing a gain this year over last of 142 churches, 32 Sunday Schools, 103 Endeavor Societies, and 14 individual subscribers.

The total income last year from all sources in the Western field was \$17,450.88. The total income this year from all sources has been \$26,407.65, showing a gain over last year of \$8,956.77. These figures do not include Dr. Pearsons' gift of \$15,000, which he sent direct to Secretary Day. This I have omitted because it was a special gift over and above what may be considered as the regular income of the Society to be depended upon every year, and because I should hesitate to try to show a gain another year over so large a total, unless this great giver should see fit to duplicate his gift. The grand total for the past year including this is \$41,407.65, a record without parallel in the income of the Society from the Western field.

The growth from the beginning of my work, going back a year to show the situation when I began, put in tabulated form, stands as follows:—

	Churches.	Individual Contributors.	Total Income.
1896-1897	342	87	\$12,879.11
1897-1898	372	189	13,997.58
1898-1899	414	264	17,450.88
1899-1900	556	278	26,407.65

This table reveals the fact that the growth of the Society in the West has been steady and constant during the past three years, there being a substantial increase in the number of contributing churches and individuals as well as in financial resources. The income this past year is more than double that of four years ago, and nearly double that of three years ago. The number of contributing Sunday Schools, Endeavor Societies, and ladies' organizations, shows a like gain.

But the work of a Secretary, be he the general Secretary or the field Secretary, cannot be justly estimated on the basis of dollars and cents. While the number of dollars

TABULAR STATEMENT.

COLLEGES.	Year of opening.	First year of aid by the society.	Total assets (estimated value).	Total liabilities.	Receipts from tuition.	Gifts from home field.	Income from other sources.	Society's appropriation.	Total income.	Total expenses.	No. of salaried professors and instructors.	Total students.	In college classes.	In academy classes.	In systematic Bible study.	Church members.	Converted during the year.	Candidates for the ministry.
Fairmount, Wichita, Kan.	1892	1892	\$75,000	\$9,000	.....	.....	.....	\$2,000	\$7,100	\$9,000	18	237	60	87	..	..	..	..
Fargo, Fargo, No. Dakota	1887	1891	87,131	24,778	\$1,437	\$7,000	\$7,015	....	15,452	10,021	7	171	30	70	60	125	..	..
Ridgeville, Ridgeville, Ind. . . .	1892	1892	28,154	2,500	427	393	.....	1,300	2,120	2,046	4	60	6	54	..	..	..	3
Rollins, Winter Park, Fla.	1886	1891	111,644	.....	3,500	....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	18	155	17	131	..	..	..	..
Salt Lake, Salt Lake City, Utah . .	1878	1878	73,500	9,000	400	1,500	1,665	3,150	6,715	6,387	6	76	3	41	42	20	..	..
Totals			\$375,429	\$45,278	\$5,764	\$8,893	\$8,680	\$7,450	\$31,387	\$27,454	53	699	116	383	102	145	..	3
ACADEMIES.																		
Chadron, Nebraska	1889	1893	\$14,013	\$5,521	\$1,024	\$1,009	\$133	\$1,200	\$3,366	\$3,913	5	77	..	77	60	20	..	..
Endeavor, Wisconsin	1890	1893	11,852	4,886	218	227	1,776	....	2,121	2,810	4	31	..	31	31	14	..	1
Franklin, Nebraska	1881	1892	28,000	2,500	3,112	1,625	1,413	1,000	7,150	8,161	8	132	..	132	145	115	25	2
Hull, Iowa	1884	1894	27,576	1,800	868	740	708	250	2,566	2,316	5	62	..	62	49	37	7	..
Iberia, Missouri	1890	1900	5,000	.....	.....	....	.....	....	1,500	1,500	3	80	..	60	12	..	5	..
Kidder, Missouri	1884	1893	26,655	4,490	1,325	3,272	649	....	5,246	4,564	6	90	..	88	..	59	9	..
Kingfisher, Oklahoma	1895	1895	25,725	3,456	1,200	2,110	604	500	4,414	3,903	5	131	..	110	..	36	..	1
North Wisconsin, Ashland, Wis. . .	1892	1894	35,000	.....	.....	....	.....	1,000	11,152	.....	3	48	..	..	..	..	..	..
Procter, Provo, Utah	1883	1883	12,060	.....	389	46	20	....	3,436	3,263	7	247	..	20	20	11	..	..
Puget Sound, Snohomish, Wash. . .	1886	1893	23,000	850	1,760	500	2,135	1,000	5,395	5,395	5	100	..	37	59	50	5	1
Rogers, Arkansas	1883	1897	15,000	3,500	1,000	....	.....	300	.....	2,550	6	100	..	..	..	..	..	..
Southern Kansas, Eureka, Kan. . .	1886	1892	13,250	1,907	632	379	46	750	1,807	1,551	6	96	..	96	24	..	8	3
Ward Academy, So. Dakota	1893	1894	17,280	2,230	920	686	890	....	2,496	2,483	4	85	..	85	6	..	6	1
Weeping Water, Nebraska	1885	1892	10,708	1,185	396	629	46	350	1,421	2,843	4	94	..	73	62	40	..	2
Wilton, German-English, Iowa . . .	1894	1894	23,848	9,839	1,900	2,000	1,350	1,000	6,250	6,820	8	67	..	67	7	..	9	7
Windom, Montevideo, Minn. . . .	1885	1895	21,963	5,342	977	1,131	36	....	2,144	2,450	5	77	..	77	..	..	..	..
Woodcock, Ahtanum, Wash.	1892	1893	9,130	3,964	520	179	508	650	179	1,858	5	42	..	42	21	18	6	..
Totals			\$325,060	\$51,470	\$16,241	\$15,533	\$10,314	\$8,000	\$60,643	\$56,380	89	1,559	..	1,057	496	400	80	18
Joint totals			\$700,489	\$96,748	\$22,005	\$24,426	\$18,994	\$15,450	\$92,030	\$83,834	142	2,258	116	1,440	598	545	80	21

NOTES. — Where figures are not given, no report has been returned.

The Society received and paid over to Whitman and Pacific University \$15,000, the gift of Dr. D. K. Pearsons.

sent to the treasury is important and vital, if a Secretary is fit for his place, he does fully as necessary a work in other ways. This year the federation plan has been inaugurated in the following states: Missouri, with her three academies, Iberia, Noble, and Kidder; Minnesota, with her Windom Institute at Montevideo; Iowa, with her Hull and Denmark Academies, and the German-English School at Wilton Junction; and Wisconsin, with her three feeders to Beloit and Ripon Colleges, namely, Ashland, Endeavor, and Rochester Academies. Nine institutions have been visited: Ward Academy in South Dakota; Chadron, Weeping Water, Gates, and Franklin Academies, and Doane College in Nebraska; Windom Institute in Minnesota; Endeavor Academy in Wisconsin; Kingfisher College in Oklahoma, and Fairmount College in Kansas. At two of these institutions, Windom Institute and Endeavor Academy, I did special work by way of raising money, and at all I tried to render such service in each case as the situation seemed to demand.

Among other items may be mentioned the fact that during the year the two-college difficulty in Nebraska was harmonized; that progress was made toward a better state of feeling in Kansas regarding Fairmount College; that help was rendered in securing a \$25,000 legacy for one of our academies; that 100 addresses were delivered, nine of them at the State Associations of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Indiana, Iowa, and Illinois; and that in all this work 23,622 miles were traversed.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE CLIFTON,

Western Field Secretary.

Chicago, June 11, 1900.

NECROLOGY.

The year has passed by without loss by death of any person directly connected with the management of the Society. The departure from this life of the Rev. Theodore Yale Gardner, formerly a field secretary, took away one who has been very active in the work of Christian education, especially of a missionary type; while the sudden death of Pres. Henry C. Simmons, of Fargo College, removed a strong man, and an energetic and far-sighted leader, from the work of upbuilding the intelligence and character of the great Middle West. The list of our living membership will also be shortened by the transference to that of members deceased of some of our most distinguished names. This list has lengthened during the weeks succeeding the annual meeting up to the date of the printing of this report, so that it includes the honored names of William M. Barbour, D.D., A. J. F. Behrends, D.D., Charles C. Burr, Esq., Hon. Mellen Chamberlain, Henry A. Hazen, D.D., J. C. Holbrook, D.D., Edwards A. Park, D.D., Edward G. Porter, D.D., R. S. Storrs, D.D., J. E. Twitchell, D.D., and George L. Walker, D.D.

CONSTITUTION.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

IN THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOUR.

AN ACT

TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE AMERICAN EDUCATION SOCIETY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

SECTION 1. The name of the American Education Society is hereby changed to the Congregational Education Society.

SECT. 2. All devices, bequests, conveyances, and gifts heretofore or hereafter made to said corporation by either of said names, or by the name of the American College and Education Society, shall vest in said Congregational Education Society.

SECT. 3. This act shall be void unless the same shall be accepted by said corporation at a meeting thereof called for that purpose, or at its annual meeting held next after the passage of this act.

[*Approved March 9, 1894.*]

ARTICLE I. This Society shall be called THE CONGREGATIONAL EDUCATION SOCIETY.

ART. II. The object of the Society is the promotion of Christian Education by assisting needy young men of piety and ability in acquiring an education for the gospel ministry; by aiding theological and collegiate institutions, academies, and other schools in which children and youth are trained under Christian teachers; and by the employment of any kindred agencies which may be deemed desirable.

ART. III. The members of the Society shall be LIFE members, ANNUAL members, and HONORARY members. All present Corporate members of the Congregational Education Society and of the New West Education Commission shall be Life members of this Society. Any Congregational church which has within the year contributed to the funds of the Society may appoint one delegate to the annual meeting of the Society, and such delegates duly attested by credentials shall be members of the Society for the year for which they were appointed.

The Society shall at each annual meeting elect Life members in such numbers as shall cause the whole number of Life members to approximate but not exceed two hundred.

Any person on whose behalf fifty dollars shall be paid to the Society, accompanied with the request for Honorary membership, shall be an Honorary member for life; and all present Honorary members of the Congregational Education Society and Life members of the New West Education Commission shall be Honorary members of this Society.

ART. IV. The annual meeting of the Society shall be on the second Wednesday in June, unless otherwise voted by the Directors. All Life members who shall be present, and all Annual members bringing proper credentials, shall be entitled to vote. No less than twelve shall constitute a quorum at every meeting of the Society.

Special meetings shall be called by the Secretary at the written request of five voting members; and of any such meeting notice shall be given, with mention of the time, place, and object of the same, by publication in two consecutive numbers of religious papers representing the Congregational denomination, one of these papers being published in Boston, the other in Chicago.

ART. V. The officers of the Society shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary or Secretaries, a Treasurer, an Auditor, and eighteen Directors, of whom ten at least shall be residents of Boston and vicinity, and six at least residents of Chicago and vicinity. All of the foregoing officers shall be chosen by ballot, and the election shall be annual, except as hereinafter provided. They shall hold office until others are chosen in their places. At the first election, held under the provisions of this constitution, six Directors shall be chosen for one year, six for two years, and six for three years; and thereafter all elections of Directors shall be for the term of three years, except in the filling of vacancies in terms of office not completed.

The President and Vice-President shall perform the duties usually assigned to such officers. They are constituted members *ex officio* of the Board of Directors. They shall sign, execute, acknowledge, and deliver in the name of and in behalf of the Society any and all deeds or any other conveyances or instruments in writing relating to any real estate owned by the Society, to such parties as the Directors by their vote shall authorize.

The Secretary or Secretaries shall have charge of the correspondence; shall keep the records of the meetings of the Society and of the Directors; shall make known, by personal presentation, correspondence and otherwise, to State and local associations and conferences, to churches and individuals, the objects and claims of the Society; shall notify all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Directors; shall obtain the fullest possible information respecting all applicants for aid, whether students or institutions; shall furnish for the presiding officer at each meeting a docket of the matters to be considered; and shall prepare an annual report of the work of the Society, and submit the same to the Directors before the annual meeting.

The Treasurer shall have charge of the funds intrusted to the Society and keep an accurate account of the same, showing from what sources they have come, for what purposes they have been given, and where they are deposited, or in what securities invested. His books shall always be open to the examination of any Director or member of the Society. He shall give bonds for the faithful discharge of his duties, with such sureties as shall be satisfactory to the Directors, and shall make no investment of the Society's funds without their approval. At each regular meeting of the Directors he shall give a report of the state of the treasury, including a list of all donations received and payments made since the last meeting; and at the annual meeting of the Society he shall present a written and audited report of the receipts and disbursements of the year, the condition of the treasury, and the amount and form of the Society's investments.

The Auditor shall audit all accounts of the Treasurer, and examine the invested funds of the Society, and give to the Directors his certificate therefor in writing.

The Board of Directors shall have charge of all affairs and manage all business of the Society concerning which no other provision is made. They shall appoint committees to examine and recommend students for assistance, and shall take such action upon these recommendations as they may deem wise. They shall determine what institutions, academies, or schools of any kind shall be aided or maintained, and shall grant them money, as the state of the treasury may permit. They may by vote authorize the sale or conveyance of any real estate the Society may own, to such person or persons and upon such terms as they may determine. Such conveyances to be signed, executed, acknowledged, and delivered in the name of and in behalf of the Society by the President or Vice-President as hereinbefore provided. As soon as practicable, after the annual meeting of the Society, the Board shall meet for organization and for the election; from their own number, of a Finance Committee and such other committees as they may see fit to appoint. They shall also have power to appoint District or Field Secretaries, or establish any agency which they may consider necessary, and shall have power to fill, until the next annual meeting, any vacancy in their own number or in any office of the Society. The Board of Directors shall present a report of the work of the Society at each annual meeting.

ART. VI. The Directors shall hold regular meetings on the second Monday of each month, except that of August. Special meetings shall be called at the written request of three Directors, by giving four days' notice, by letter, to each member of the Board, stating the time, place, and object of the meeting. Seven Directors shall constitute a quorum. The meetings of the Board shall ordinarily be held in Boston, but one meeting at least in each year shall be held in Chicago. All meetings

shall be held in the office of the Society, either at Boston or Chicago, unless otherwise ordered.

The Western members of the Board, that is, members residing west of the State of New York, shall hold stated meetings at such times as they may appoint; and they may, whenever they see fit, designate one of their number to attend any meeting to be held in Boston, and his traveling expenses may be paid by the Society; and the Eastern members shall have the right, in like manner and upon the same terms, to designate two of their number to attend any meeting to be held in Chicago.

The Western members of the Board, while having part in all the affairs of the Society, shall be particularly charged with the duty of becoming acquainted with the condition of academies and lower schools aided by the Society, and with the wants of the field in that relation. They will be expected to give counsel upon the appropriation of money for such academies and schools, and they shall, once at least each year, transmit to the Board at Boston a summary statement of the condition and requirements of the work of the Society, as viewed by them, and this statement shall be a special topic of consideration at the first meeting of the Board after its reception.

No action shall be taken at a meeting held in either section of the country in respect to which the judgment of the members resident in the other section is specially needed, unless seasonable notice shall have been given that such action is contemplated.

A full and attested copy of the record of each meeting held in Boston shall be immediately forwarded to Chicago, and shall be either filed or transcribed in such a manner as to form a permanent record at Chicago; and an attested record of the doings of each meeting of the Board held at Chicago shall be entered upon the permanent record of the Board in Boston. A summary statement of the business done at each meeting of the Western members of the Board shall also be transmitted to Boston.

Any Eastern Director who shall be absent from one-half of the stated meetings of the Board held during any one year at Boston, or any Western Director who shall be absent from one-half of the stated meetings held during any one year at Chicago, including the meetings of the Board and of the Western section of the Board, unless excused for such absence for adequate reason by the Board or its Western section, as the case may be, shall be deemed to have vacated his position as Director, and the vacancy thus created shall be filled by the election of some other person at the next annual meeting of the Society.

ART. VII. This Constitution may be changed only by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and entitled to vote at the meeting of the Society duly called, notice of the proposed change being given in the call of the meeting at which action is to be taken.

BY-LAWS.

ADOPTED DECEMBER 18, 1899.

STUDENTS.

Applications for scholarships granted by this Society to students for the ministry are approved under the following rules and conditions :

SECTION 1. The Society grants scholarships to men who actually need financial assistance, provided that they show the requisite merit and promise. Therefore, the concealment of sufficient income already possessed, extravagance, use of tobacco, and all like abuses of the gift, are to be regarded as flagrant breaches of personal honor, as well as an inexcusable deprivation of other men of the needed aid.

To receive a grant a student in college must have reached the grade of sophomore, and must attain a rank equivalent to seventy-five per cent on the scale of one hundred in scholarship. A student in a theological seminary must be a graduate of some college of good standing. Consideration of exceptional cases shall be given, and provided for in the form of application, with due regard for the regulations of the Society.

It is optional with the student whether the grant be a loan or a gift outright; but in the latter case it should be considered as a loan of honor; to be repaid in good-will, and, if possible, in money. If taken as a loan, a student shall forward his note for the amount. Such notes, if paid within three years after entering the ministry, shall bear no interest, but from that time they shall carry interest at four per cent.

SECT. 2. The Board of Directors shall appoint suitable committees, which shall consist of three persons each, at different institutions throughout the country, to examine and recommend candidates for the scholarships of the Society. It shall be the duty of a committee to make careful inquiry concerning an applicant's testimonials, his religious character, his motives for seeking the ministry, his abilities and attainments, his need of pecuniary aid, and his willingness to conform to the rules of the Society. If the committee decides to recommend him they shall direct him to state in the form of application his name, age, residence, place of education, church membership, need of assistance, and other facts which are inquired of, or which they deem important. They shall also make careful examination from time to time as to the development and proficiency of each student receiving a scholarship from the Society through their recommendation; shall advise the renewal of such a grant, or not, as they deem wise; and shall assume responsibility, by their signature to his application, to do all in their power to secure the fulfillment of the conditions under which the scholarships of the Society are given.

SECT. 3. Any student applying for assistance must appear before the committee, having this matter in charge, for examination; must fill out the answers to the questions asked in the application; must subscribe to the Agreement, Declaration, and Promise, and thus assent to the conditions therein stated. If there is no regular examining committee in the institution he is attending, the Secretary of the Society may be notified of his wish for assistance and a special committee can be appointed to examine him.

SECT. 4. Before receiving a grant the candidate shall subscribe before witness to the following obligation, as part of the form of application by which he seeks a scholarship:

"I hereby accept the conditions above recited, and affirm that I am in need of financial assistance in order to the effective prosecution of theological study. I declare it to be my intention to devote my life to the Christian ministry and to take a full course of theological training. I therefore apply to the Congregational Education Society for a scholarship; and I promise, that if I hereafter forego my present purpose, I will, within three years after the date of the latest payment, and unless specially excepted by the Directors for good reasons shown, repay to the Society the whole amount of money received, with four per cent interest on the same from the time of receiving it. I furthermore agree that I will, after entering the ministry, exert my personal and official influence to advance the interests of the Society.

Signed: (Seal)

Witness:

SECT. 5. The income which shall provide for the payment of scholarships shall be derived from the interest upon invested funds given for this purpose; and from the gifts of the churches and of special friends for the same object. The amount of a scholarship shall be fifty dollars for one year; the renewal of which may be secured by a regular annual application if approved; but for not more than six consecutive years. A gift of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), constituting a permanent fund, of which the interest alone shall be used, shall bear the name of the donor, or such name as he may assign. The income of such a fund shall be at once and perpetually applied in payment of a scholarship; and shall thus go to aid a continuous succession of men into the work of the ministry. Such a donor may name a student as the recipient of such a scholarship, provided his application is duly made and approved according to the regulations of the Society. The Society will act as the almoner for any benevolent individuals who desire to assist worthy young men to prepare for the ministry or to procure a Christian education, and will take charge of any funds intrusted to it for this purpose, applying them for the use of the objects and persons designated.

INSTITUTIONS.

SECT. 6. The Society will aid Colleges, Academies, Training and Mission Schools, with the special purpose of lending them such a degree of assistance as will promote their development most rapidly and bring them at the earliest period to a condition of self-support.

COLLEGES.

SECT. 7. No college can be placed upon the Society's list until it has presented to the Directors a copy of its act of incorporation and of its by-laws; the names of its Trustees and officers and the number of its students; and all documents and information necessary to satisfy the Directors in regard to its permanency and success, its relation to the State and the Congregational churches thereof, and its need of the assistance sought. It must be under the control of a self-perpetuating Board of Trustees, a majority of whom shall always be members in good and regular standing in Congregational churches.

Its application must be made by a formal vote of its Board of Trustees, and no such application can be approved by the Society so long as it has upon its list another college in the same State. Its Trustees must also accept the agreement with the Society which is appended to these by-laws, and furnish a copy of the same duly signed and sealed. No college can be adopted until it has a freshman class of at least four students, and all money received from the Society (except such as may have been designated by the donor for some other use) shall be applied by the institution to the payment of salaries, to the purchase of books or apparatus, or to the permanent endowment of chairs of instruction.

ACADEMIES AND MISSION SCHOOLS.

SECT. 8. The academies and other schools aided fall naturally into two classes—those which have been already incorporated and organized, and those established in localities where it might not be feasible to create at once local corporations.

In order that an institution of the first class may be enrolled upon the Society's list it must be legally chartered under a self-perpetuating Board of Trustees, a majority of whom shall always be members in good and regular standing of Congregational churches, and must have secured, in fee simple and unencumbered, sufficient grounds for building sites and campus, and assets, in buildings or in money, or in both, to the amount of ten thousand dollars. It must be indorsed by the State association or conference of Congregational churches, and by the local association or conference within the bounds of whose territory it is located; and it must annually report to the State association or conference, and receive the continued approval of the same, so long as it

receives aid from the Society. It must have such a number of students and such evidence of permanency as shall be satisfactory to the Directors; must give thorough preparation for college, and maintain the characteristics of a vitally Christian school. Its principal shall always be a Christian man, and special attention shall be given to the study of the Bible and the development of Christian character. All money received from the Society must be used in the payment of the salary of the principal or teachers, and no part of it shall ever be applied to the payment of debts for other things without the consent of the Directors. No mortgage shall at any time be put upon the property of the institution except that, before the first appropriation is made, the Trustees shall execute in favor of the Congregational Education Society a trust mortgage upon its entire property for the repayment of all money at any time received through said Society in case the said institution shall at any time or to any extent disregard the aforesaid terms and provisions.

SECT. 9. In order to secure the early occupation of promising fields, and also to exert a more direct influence through the agency of Christian education in fields not yet provided with good common schools, this Society shall have the power to establish and temporarily maintain academies, training, and other schools in localities where it would not be possible or advisable to create local corporations. These it may own, manage, and control at its discretion, with the ultimate purpose of placing them under the care of self-perpetuating Boards of Trustees or of disposing of them as the best interests of Christian education may seem to demand.

SECT. 10. It shall be the duty of the president or principal of each institution that receives aid from the Society to report to the same at least annually the financial condition of the institution, its number of students, and all such facts in regard to its prosperity as it may be desirable for the Society to know.

SECT. 11. These by-laws may be amended at any regular meeting of the Board of Directors, notice of the proposed amendment having been given in the call of the meeting at which action is to be taken.

FORM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE SOCIETY AND
INSTITUTIONS RECEIVING AID.

The.....in consideration of one dollar to them in hand paid by the CONGREGATIONAL EDUCATION SOCIETY, and other good and valuable considerations them thereunto moving, do for themselves and their successors hereby covenant and agree with the Congregational Education Society and their successors, that in the event that the saidshall cease to be distinctively a Christian institution; or shall permanently cease to provide.....instruction for students; or shall relinquish or lose its franchise as an independent corporation by grant, sale, merger, or in any other way; or shall by any contract, lease, trust-deed, or in any other way convey, transfer, grant, or assign its property to any other or differently chartered institution, or shall in the appointment of its trustees or corporators, or in their management of its concerns, become subject to political or ecclesiastical control, or shall in any way be diverted from the policy of the said Congregational Education Society, as at present defined in its charter and by-laws; or shall divert any donation of money or other property made through the said Congregational Education Society from the special use to which the donor or donors thereof may have designated or limited it; then all the moneys and other property which shall have been appropriated and paid or delivered to the said.....by the said Congregational Education Society, shall thereupon revert to the said Congregational Education Society; and they, the said.....do hereby covenant and agree for themselves and their successors that they will forthwith well and truly pay, grant, convey, turn over, and transfer the same, or cause the same to be paid, granted, conveyed, turned over, and transferred to the said Congregational Education Society, or the value of any of the same that cannot be identified and so conveyed, turned over, and transferred, and also that they will account for and return, pay, convey, turn over, and transfer to the said Congregational Education Society any and all funds or property which shall have been diverted from the purposes for which it may have been donated, as designated by the donor or donors thereof; or if for any reason the specific property donated or any portion thereof cannot be identified and so conveyed, turned over, and transferred, then the value of the same.

In witness whereof the said.....have caused these presents to be executed by their.....and their corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this.....day of.....one thousand
hundred and.....

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CONSTITUTED SINCE APRIL 30, 1877.

[The list of those constituted before this date may be found in full in *Annual Report* for 1877. The places of residence here given are those in which the persons named resided at the time when they were made members.]

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 Kendall B. Keyes, Fitchburg.
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RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
1899.	June 1.	To Students	
		Colleges	\$6,850.00
		Academies	28,801.32
		New West Mission Schools	33,487.19
		Scholarship, student at Yankton College,	10,232.12
		Scholarship, student at Carleton College,	50.00
		Annuities	50.00
		Invested Funds	150.00
		Interest Invested Funds	21,376.37
		<i>Salaries and Expenses:</i>	35.89
		Charles O. Day	3,543.30
		John A. Hamilton	1,435.13
		Theodore Clifton	3,083.01
		Two clerks	1,495.00
		Cost publishing Annual Report	254.47
		Rent Boston and Chicago offices	969.75
		Mileage, postage, telegrams, printing,	1,247.94
		Taxes	282.35
		* Legal expenses	3,093.98
		Press agent	126.92
		Miscellaneous	849.71
		Insurance, New West property	770.40
		Balance	17,151.96
			16,440.94
			\$134,685.79

* Of this sum, \$2,600 represents recent payments upon fees due to the three attorneys who carried through the union of the N. W. E. C. and the A. C. and E. S.; and is for services covering a period of six years from 1891 to 1896.

This certifies that I have examined the accounts of S. F. Wilkins, Esq., Treasurer of the Congregational Education Society, for the twelve months ending June 1, 1900, and find them correct as above stated.

I have also examined the Securities of the Society, and find them correctly stated in their various investments.

H. N. ACKERMAN, Auditor.
Boston, June 9, 1900.

PERMANENT FUNDS, JUNE 1ST, 1900.

SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

60 Shares Merchant's Bank		\$9,600.00
19 Shares Freeman's Bank		1,900.00
4 Shares Traders' Bank (Portland)		400.00
10 Shares National Bank (Worcester)		1,700.00
31 Shares Railroad Bank (Lowell)		3,968.00
47 Shares National Bank (Salem)		2,295.00
7 Shares National Bank (Andover)		770.00
51 Shares Exchange Bank		7,140.00
21 Shares Commerce Bank		2,268.00
15 Shares State Bank		12,528.00
19 Shares New England Bank		2,660.00
56 Shares Republic Bank		8,400.00
30 Shares Redemption Bank		3,540.00
16 Shares Hide and Leather Bank		1,728.00
7 Bonds West End Street R. R. Co.	\$1,000.00 each	7,210.00
4 Bonds Cincinnati	1,000.00 each	4,200.00
1 Bond Rutland R.R. Co.	1,000.00	1,100.00
5 Bonds Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R.R. Co.	1,000.00 each	5,750.00
1 Bond Oregon Short Line R.R. Co.	1,000.00	1,130.00
1 Bond National Debenture Co.	450.00	
7 Bonds Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fé R.R. Co.	1,000.00	7,000.00
8 Bonds Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fé R.R. Co., adjustment	500.00 each	3,400.00
12 Shares Mercantile Realty Co.		
5 Bonds Chicago & West Michigan R.R. Co.	1,000.00	5,000.00
6 Bonds Bay State Gas Co.	1,000.00	4,800.00
5 Bonds Dedham & Hyde Park Gas and Electric Light Co.	1,000.00 each	5,000.00
3 Bonds Glenn Falls Electric Light Co.	1,000.00 each	3,000.00
1 Bond Glenn Falls Electric Light Co.	500.00	500.00
1 Bond Clinton Water Works Co.	1,000.00	1,000.00
Note Freeman W. Grant		2,850.00
Note M. J. Ferguson		1,300.00
Note Ernest Perron		1,200.00
Deposit Mechanics' Savings Bank, Westerly, R. I.		152.63
		<u>\$113,489.63</u>

SECRETARY FUND.

1 Bond Oregon Short Line R.R. Co.	\$1,000.00	\$800.00
20 Shares Oregon Short Line R.R. Co.	100.00 each	20.00
8 Bonds Oregon Short Line R.R. Co.	1,000.00 each	9,040.00
3 Bonds Vermont Central R.R. Co.	100.00 each	275.00
Vermont Central R.R. Co., scrip	24.00	
1 Bond Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fé	500.00	500.00
Deposit Five Cents Savings Bank, Salem		23.43
		<u>\$10,658.43</u>

MATHER FUND.

15 Bonds West Chicago St. R.R. Tunnel Co.	\$1,000.00 each	\$15,000.00
3 Bonds Erie Telegraph & Telephone Co.	1,000.00 each	3,000.00
Note A. H. Heath		6,500.00
Note W. H. Taplin		4,000.00
Note Lucy H. and Newton Crane		3,500.00
Note David Spooner		3,000.00
Note Norman K. Wade		1,300.00
Note Fred W. Smith		3,000.00
Note George Hood		2,750.00

Note Carl A. Johnson	\$2,500.00
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Note Alvin E. Aldrich	2,600.00
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Note Mary M. Taylor	500.00
Note Fred W. Smith	2,800.00
Note Joanna Hanlon	3,500.00
Note Thomas F. Troy	2,400.00
Note Amanda M. Palmer	4,500.00
Note F. W. Smith	4,000.00
Note Mrs. A. Maud Smith	3,000.00
Note Mrs. Mary H. Hannah	5,000.00
Deposit Salem Savings Bank	1,473.74
Deposit Westerly Savings Bank, Westerly, R. I.	400.00
	<u>\$79,823.74</u>

CLAPP FUND.

3 Bonds Old Colony Steamboat Co.	\$1,000.00 each	\$3,000.00
1 Bond City of Chicago	500.00	500.00
		<u>\$3,500.00</u>

HAMPSHIRE FUND.

2 Bonds Old Colony Steamboat Co.	\$1,000.00 each	\$2,000.00
1 Bond Rutland R.R. Co.	100.00	100.00
		<u>\$2,100.00</u>

PENNIMAN FUND.

Deposit Wakefield Savings Bank	\$215.00
	<u>\$215.00</u>

COBURN FUND.

Note Charles W. Smith	\$2,750.00
Note David M. Chute	3,500.00
Note Eugene W. Hill	10,000.00
Note John Dale	3,500.00
Deposit Five Cents Savings Bank, Salem, Mass.	250.00
	<u>\$20,000.00</u>

WILKINSON FUND.

Note Marion Wentworth	\$1,500.00
Note George Cain	1,000.00
	<u>\$2,500.00</u>

YANKTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

1 Bond West End St. R.R. Co.	\$1,000.00	\$1,030.00
		<u>\$1,030.00</u>

CARLETON SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

1 Bond West End St. R.R. Co.	\$1,000.00	\$1,030.00
		<u>\$1,030.00</u>

GORDON FUND.

5 Bonds Oregon Short Line & Utah No. R.R. Co.	\$1,000.00 each	\$1,500.00
3 Bonds Northern Pacific R.R. Co.	1,000.00 each	2,100.00
31 Shares Northern Pacific R.R. Co.	100.00 each	2,170.00
Note Fred W. Smith		1,000.00
Deposit Five Cents Savings Bank, Salem		261.62
		<u>\$7,031.62</u>

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Augusta, Miss Abby C. Johnson,	\$1.00	Atkinson,	\$11.59
Bangor, Central ch.,	1.60	Bennington,	4.16
1st ch.,	5.00	Bethlehem,	5.00
Hammond St. ch.,	50.00	Boscawen,	1.27
Prof. F. B. Denio,	25.00	Candia,	6.50
Bar Harbor,	5.00	Canterbury, Y. P. S. C. E.,	3.00
Bath, Central ch.,	3.52	Charlestown,	6.04
Winter St. ch.,	10.82	Chester,	6.00
Belfast, 1st ch.,	10.00	Colebrook,	5.00
Biddeford, 2d ch.,	10.00	Concord, 1st ch.,	36.65
Bridgton, 1st ch.,	8.75	South ch.,	36.24
Brunswick, 1st ch.,	16.38	Derry, Central S. S.,	15.00
D. F. Atherton,	5.00	Dover, 1st ch.,	40.75
Bucksport,	6.20	Dunbarton,	2.40
Camden, Rev. Henry Jones,	25.00	Durham,	7.34
Cumberland Mills, Warren ch.,	60.00	East Derry, 1st ch.,	3.00
Eastport, Central ch.,	7.57	Epping,	6.00
Eliot, 1st ch.,	3.30	Exeter, Estate Clara A. Haley,	300.00
Farmington, 1st ch.,	6.91	Nathaniel Gordon,	25.00
Farmington Falls,	3.00	Franklin,	5.00
Gorham,	5.80	Gilsum,	2.00
Hampden,	3.35	Goffstown,	7.50
Lewiston, Pine St. ch.,	14.31	Hancock, Y. P. S. C. E.,	1.60
Lyman,	1.50	Hanover, ch. at Dartmouth College,	19.00
Machias, Center St. ch.,	1.73	Haverhill,	7.06
New Sharon,	1.50	Rev. C. L. Skinner,	75.00
North Bridgton,	5.00	Henniker,	8.00
Portland, 2d ch.,	8.05	Hinsdale,	4.00
St. Lawrence ch.,	15.00	Hollis,	8.67
State St. ch.,	15.00	Hopkinton,	5.20
Williston ch.,	16.50	Jaffrey,	5.95
Rockland,	10.00	Keene, 1st ch.,	50.00
Searsport, 1st ch.,	6.30	2d S. S.,	8.00
Somerville,	5.58	Laconia,	10.00
South Bridgton,	2.63	Lancaster,	9.27
South Gardiner,	4.50	Lisbon, 1st ch.,	5.27
South Paris,	12.77	Littleton,	12.94
Sunset, Mrs. Ada D. Southworth,	10.00	Y. P. S. C. E.,	11.90
Thomaston,	2.00	Manchester, 1st ch.,	84.76
Warren, 2d ch.,	1.75	Franklin St. ch.,	27.07
Waterville, 1st ch.,	10.20	Isaac Huse, Jr.,	11.00
Westbrook,	10.29	Milford, 1st ch.,	16.00
		Nashua, 1st ch.,	10.00
		Pilgrim ch.,	30.81
	\$427.81	North Hampton,	24.70
		Pembroke, 1st ch.,	16.13
		Peterboro,	10.17
		Plainfield, Mrs. S. R. Baker,	5.00
		Plymouth,	16.50
		Portsmouth, North ch.,	8.85
NEW HAMPSHIRE.			
Alstead Centre, Ladies' Circle,	\$2.00		
Alton,	4.00		
Amherst,	8.52		

Raymond,	\$3.00	Salisbury,	\$4.35
Daniel N. Lane, Jr.,	280.00	Saxton's River,	4.60
Reed's Ferry, 1st ch.,	6.00	Shoreham,	6.50
Rye,	5.00	South Hero and Grand Isle,	3.00
Salem,	5.00	St. Johnsbury, North ch.,	16.80
Sanbornton,	5.00	South ch.,	26.67
Somersworth, 1st ch.,	5.00	South, S. S.,	5.00
Tilton,	17.50	Henry Fairbanks, Esq.,	100.00
Walpole,	22.75	Stowe, 1st ch.,	7.65
Wilnot,	1.00	Strafford, Rev. H. Cummings,	10.00
Wilton,	10.20	Waitsfield,	5.00
Wolfeboro, 1st ch.,	7.28	Waterbury,	10.42
New Hamp. Fem. Cent. I. & H.M.U.,	427.25	Weathersfield, 1st ch.,	4.88
		East ch.,	3.00
	\$1,847.79	Wells River,	13.20

VERMONT.

Bellows Falls, 1st ch.,	\$34.00	West Rutland,	5.25
C. V. Osgood's Bible Class,	10.00	Weybridge,	4.08
Bennington, 2d ch.,	20.97	Y. P. S. C. E.,	3.80
2d S. S.,	10.00	Woodstock,	22.85
2d "Juniors,"	10.00	Mrs. Julia Billings,	300.00
Brattleboro, Center ch.,	75.00	—, A friend,	15.00
Center S. S.,	10.00	Woman's Home Missionary Union,	490.35
Asa Sherwin,	100.00		
Brownington, Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00		\$1,927.69
Burlington, 1st ch.,	76.00		
College St. ch.,	45.26		
W. J. Van Patten,	100.00		

MASSACHUSETTS.

Chelsea,	6.54	Abington, 1st ch.,	\$5.13
Chester,	6.34	Acton,	4.00
Cornwall,	9.20	Evangelical S. S.,	2.00
Enosburg,	3.65	Adams, 1st ch.,	17.00
Essex Junction, 1st ch.,	3.19	Allston,	18.05
Fair Haven, 1st ch.,	6.93	S. S.,	8.00
Glover,	10.00	Y. P. S. C. E.,	30.00
Greensboro,	2.00	Amesbury, Main St. ch.,	5.00
Hartland,	2.00	Union ch.,	3.85
Rev. S. E. MacGeehon,	1.00	Amherst, 1st ch.,	29.70
Hortonville, Mrs. E. E. Young,	25.00	College St. ch.,	29.98
Jeffersonville,	5.00	Andover, Chapel ch.,	60.00
Jericho, 2d ch.,	3.10	Free Christian ch.,	45.63
Center,	9.12	South ch.,	92.68
Ludlow,	9.03	West S. S.,	10.00
Lyndon, 1st ch.,	10.00	Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stone,	200.00
Manchester,	17.00	Arlington,	56.54
Middlebury,	8.77	Ashby, Orthodox ch.,	22.73
Middlebury Springs, Rev. H. L. Bailey,	5.00	Attleboro, 2d ch.,	33.60
Montpelier, Bethany ch.,	7.00	2d S. S.,	13.42
Newbury, 1st ch.,	23.24	Auburndale,	81.51
Northfield,	15.00	C. C. Burr,	30.00
North Bennington,	25.19	Bernardston,	10.00
North Craftsbury,	2.00	Goodale Memorial ch.,	3.00
North Hyde Park,	2.00	Beverly, Dane St. ch.,	76.25
Orwell,	10.40	Washington St. ch.,	7.00
Quechee,	8.00	BillERICA, Orthodox ch.,	5.00
Rochester,	7.89	Blackstone,	10.00
Rupert,	12.50	Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.00
Rutland S. S.,	10.00	Junior C. E.,	2.00

Blandford, 1st ch.,	\$6.28	Deerfield Valley, C. E. Union,	\$20.00
Boston, Old South ch.,	689.00	Dorchester, 2d ch.,	59.52
Central ch.,	43.60	2d ch., Extra Cent-a-Day Band,	5.00
Shawmut ch.,	157.32	Pilgrim ch.,	29.08
Shawmut ch., A friend,	5.00	Pilgrim S. S.,	10.27
Union ch.,	13.58	In memory of Rev. O.H. White, D.D.,	25.00
Estate Lucy Dole,	510.95	Friend,	5.00
Estate J. S. Ambrose,	344.52	Dudley, 1st ch.,	2.00
Mrs. Susan C. Warren,	650.00	Dunstable,	20.00
Miss Cornelia Warren,	150.00	Easthampton, Payson ch.,	20.00
Frank O. Day,	150.00	East Bridgewater, Union ch.,	6.68
J. H. Nichols,	75.00	East Boston, Maverick ch.,	40.97
Friend,	200.00	East Charlemont,	21.45
C. O. Day,	50.00	East Douglas,	2.00
Friend,	25.00	East Longmeadow, 1st ch.,	3.28
Friend,	25.00	East Taunton,	2.00
Friend,	8.00	East Weymouth,	10.00
Friend,	10.00	Easton Center,	9.17
Friend,	10.00	Edgarton, Mrs. William Pent,	2.00
Friend,	3.00	Egremont,	3.50
Boxford, 1st ch.,	9.00	Enfield,	31.88
Bradford, 1st ch.,	10.00	Erving,	5.00
Braintree, 1st ch.,	19.24	Essex,	11.50
Member 1st ch.,	3.00	Everett, 1st ch.,	10.83
Bridgewater, Central Sq. ch.,	9.00	Mystic Side ch.,	15.50
Brimfield, 1st ch.,	13.00	Fall River, Central ch.,	128.93
Brookfield,	9.59	Broadway ch.,	4.00
Brookline, Leyden ch.,	84.98	Falmouth, 1st ch.,	12.23
Colonel Charles Hopkins,	50.00	Feeding Hills,	12.00
Annie T. Belcher,	5.00	Fitchburg, Calvinist ch.,	25.51
Brockton, 1st ch.,	15.75	Rollstone ch.,	18.90
Porter ch.,	67.33	Friends,	20.00
Cambridgeport, Pilgrim ch.,	37.96	Florence,	9.32
Pilgrim Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00	Foxboro, Bethany ch.,	11.28
Prospect St. ch.,	43.51	Framingham,	31.50
Campello,	40.00	Freetown,	2.50
Carlisle,	5.00	Gardner, 1st ch.,	37.60
Charlestown, Winthrop ch.,	40.39	Georgetown, Memorial ch.,	8.56
Charlton,	2.50	Gilbertville,	11.86
Chelsea, 1st ch.,	17.07	Gloucester, Trinity ch.,	68.17
3d ch.,	18.69	Grafton, Evangelical ch.,	15.22
Chicopee, 1st ch.,	4.75	Granby,	7.20
3d ch.,	.27	Great Barrington, 1st ch.,	10.45
Chicopee Falls, 2d ch.,	29.53	Y. P. S. C. E.,	9.51
Chiltonville,	10.00	Greenfield, 2d ch.,	66.00
Clarendon Hills,	3.50	Greenwich Village, ch. and S. S.,	5.00
Clinton, 1st Evangelical ch.,	21.78	Groveland,	10.00
Cohasset, 2d ch.,	9.25	Hadley, 1st ch.,	22.03
Concord, Trinitarian ch.,	10.85	Hanover, 2d ch.,	4.00
Trinitarian S. S. M. A.,	11.25	Hanson, 1st ch.,	2.50
Cummington,	4.25	Harvard,	7.00
Curtisville,	3.34	Hatfield,	27.31
Dalton, 1st ch.,	195.37	Haverhill, West ch.,	2.00
Zenas Crane,	300.00	West S. S.,	10.81
Danvers, 1st ch.,	6.53	West Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.55
Maple St. ch.,	57.49	Center ch.,	50.00
Dedham, 1st ch.,	94.04	Holbrook, Winthrop ch.,	12.18
1st S. S.,	8.00	Holden,	3.00
Evan. S. S.,	3.37	Holliston, 1st ch.,	15.10

Holyoke, 1st ch.,	\$21.27	Milton, 1st Evangelical ch.,	\$29.99
2d ch.,	68.07	Mittineague,	10.35
A. L. Hills,	1.00	Monson,	48.55
Hopkinton,	17.02	Miss Sarah E. Bradford,	5.00
Housatonic,	5.00	Montague, 1st ch.,	4.00
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S. B. Capen,	50.00	Prospect St. ch.,	13.46
Kingston,	8.00	Whitefield ch.,	4.52
Lancaster, Evangelical ch.,	6.22	Mrs. Sophia C. Hale,	100.00
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Lee,	50.00	Eliot S. S.,	11.35
Leicester, 1st ch.,	48.00	Misses Spear,	25.00
Lenox,	2.25	"An Old Friend,"	10.00
Leominster, Orthodox ch.,	5.87	Newton Centre, 1st ch.,	104.85
Lexington, Hancock ch.,	39.25	Newton Centre, Extra-Cent-a-Day	
Littleton, Orthodox ch.,	7.00	Band, 1st ch.,	32.61
Longmeadow, L. B. A., 1st ch.,	33.81	Newton Highlands, Friend,	50.00
Lowell, 1st ch.,	15.32	Newtonville, Central ch.,	10.90
Eliot ch.,	12.43	Neponset, Trinity ch.,	5.25
High St. ch.,	14.94	Northampton, 1st ch. of Christ,	99.09
Kirk St. ch.,	67.00	Northboro,	4.35
F. A. Warfield,	5.00	Evangelical ch.,	12.25
Ludlow, A. G. C.,	10.00	Northbridge, 1st ch.,	20.00
Lynn, 1st ch.,	20.00	North Abington,	2.09
1st ch., Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00	North Adams,	36.10
Central ch.,	20.00	North Amherst,	15.25
North, Y. P. S. C. E.,	32.00	S. S.,	8.70
Malden, 1st ch.,	41.69	North Andover,	25.00
Mrs. E. M. Wellman,	100.00	North Attleboro, Oldtown ch.,	1.10
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Mass. "1900."	100.00	North Wilbraham, Grace Union ch.,	1.49
Mass. Thanksgiving offering,	100.00	Friend,	100.00
Mattapoisett,	16.95	H. W. Cutler,	100.00
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Middleboro, 1st ch.,	11.75	Pittsfield, 1st ch.,	56.00
Central ch.,	10.00	South ch.,	21.34
F. R. Lewis,	301.16	Pilgrim Memorial ch.,	2.37
Middlefield,	5.00	Plymouth, church of Pilgrimage,	10.00
Middletown,	3.35	Plympton,	2.50
Milford,	80.47	Quincy, Bethany ch.,	87.38
Millbury, 1st ch.,	10.48	Bethany ch. S. S., Home Department,	1.00
2d ch.,	28.33	Randolph, 1st ch.,	45.00
2d S. S.,	30.00	Raynham, 1st ch.,	27.77
Millers Falls, 1st ch.,	2.14	Reading, 1st ch.,	85.00
Millis, ch. of Christ,	6.00	Rochester, 1st ch.,	3.50

Rockland, 1st ch.,	\$7.95	Waverly,	\$4.26
Rockport, 1st ch.,	7.09	Webster, 1st ch.,	23.91
Roxbury, Immanuel ch.,	13.40	Wellesley,	15.64
Walnut Ave. ch.,	3.00	Wellesley Hills,	7.00
Walnut Ave. S. S.,	13.81	Wendell,	1.00
Walnut Ave. Y. P. S. C. E.,	15.00	Wenham,	13.00
Royalston, 1st ch.,	2.10	Westboro, Evangelical ch.,	26.36
Salem, Tabernacle ch.,	6.00	Westfield, 1st ch.,	29.83
Saugus,	13.86	Westhampton,	9.00
Saxonville, Edwards ch.,	4.72	West Barnstable,	5.00
Scituate, Centre ch.,	1.35	West Boylston, 1st ch.,	3.53
Scotland,	2.02	West Newton, 2d ch.,	144.84
Sharon,	32.83	West Medford,	17.25
Shelburne Falls,	10.50	West Roxbury, South Evangelical ch.,	5.00
Somerset, Friend,	3.15	West Springfield, 1st ch.,	5.00
Somerville, 1st ch.,	10.45	Park St. ch.,	23.81
Broadway ch.,	8.84	West Stockbridge, Village ch.,	3.00
Prospect Hill,	40.00	Weymouth Heights,	5.06
Winter Hill ch.,	21.00	Whitinsville,	255.63
Southfield,	3.57	Estate W. H. Whiting,	250.00
Southampton,	8.03	Edward Whiting,	250.00
South Boston, Phillips ch.,	17.00	A Friend,	12.00
South Braintree,	6.00	Rev. John R. Thurston,	5.00
South Byfield,	8.21	Whitman, 1st ch.,	22.55
South Dartmouth,	3.00	Williamsburg,	15.00
South Deerfield,	18.10	Williamstown, 1st ch.,	38.28
South Framingham, Grace ch.,	26.39	Wilmington,	11.19
South Hadley, 1st ch.	16.00	Winchendon, North ch.,	10.00
Mt. Holyoke Y. W. C. A.,	12.00	Winchester, 1st ch.	90.86
South Hadley Falls,	8.23	Woburn,	18.00
South Sudbury, Memorial ch.,	5.07	Montvale ch.,	1.00
South Weymouth, Old South ch.,	5.00	North ch.,	9.00
Spencer, 1st ch.,	30.00	Worcester, 1st ch.,	23.00
Springfield, 1st ch.,	65.63	Central ch.,	54.13
Hope ch.,	14.52	Piedmont ch.,	89.75
Memorial ch.,	3.05	Plymouth ch.,	58.94
Olivet ch.,	9.17	Union ch.,	53.22
Park ch.,	38.86	Union Bible School,	19.09
South ch.,	53.82	Rev. Willard Scott,	10.00
J. W. Kirkham,	20.00	"I. H. N.,"	30.00
Nettie E. Bisbee,	1.00	Albert Curtis Estate	18,000.00
Stoneham,	8.00	Harriet Damon Estate,	479.07
Sturbridge, 1st ch.,	11.55	Yarmouth,	10.00
Sutton,	12.07	Woman's Home Miss'y Association,	4,737.00
Swampscott, 1st ch.,	10.00		
S. S.,	8.00		
Taunton, Trinitarian ch.,	64.81		\$36,242.57
Union ch.,	5.00		
Winslow ch.,	12.61		
Tewksbury,	7.96		
Townsend,	3.63		
Turner's Falls,	9.60		
Upton, 1st ch.,	10.50		
Wakefield,	103.12		
S. S.,	34.25		
Waltham, Trinitarian ch.,	16.08		
Ware, 1st ch.,	3.20		
East ch.,	39.61		
Warren,	41.60		

RHODE ISLAND.

Central Falls,	\$61.35
Chepachet,	5.00
Kingston,	13.00
Little Compton, United ch.,	37.24
Pawtucket,	65.09
Providence, Beneficent ch.,	30.00
Central ch.,	100.00
Pilgrim ch.,	5.65
Union ch.,	166.86
R. G. Hazard, Esq.,	100.00
Mrs. S. W. Danielson,	20.00
	\$594.19

CONNECTICUT.					
Ansonia,	\$25.42		Greenfield Hill,	\$5.30	
Berlin, 2d ch.,	25.00		Greens Farms, Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00	
Bethel, 1st ch.,	9.12		Greenwich, 2d ch.,	51.89	
Bethlehem,	1.51		2d S. S.,	15.75	
Black Rock,	15.34		2d Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00	
Bloomfield,	3.00		Griswold, 1st ch.,	3.75	
Bozrah,	2.00		Groton,	3.98	
Branford,	21.44		Hartford, 1st ch.,	237.06	
H. G. Harrison,	10.00		Asylum Hill ch.,	81.85	
Bridgeport, 2d ch.,	25.00		Center S. S.,	20.00	
2d S. S.,	25.00		Farmington Ave. ch.,	55.27	
King's Highway Chapel,	3.17		4th ch.,	1.60	
Park St. ch.,	64.82		Glenwood ch.,	8.14	
West End ch.,	20.00		Park ch.,	45.11	
Bridgewater,	7.18		Warburton Chapel S. S.,	9.66	
Bristol, 1st ch.,	15.00		Wethersfield Ave. ch.,	6.87	
Broad Brook,	6.28		Windsor Ave. ch.,	54.07	
Brookfield Center,	9.02		H. W. Brainerd,	5.00	
Brooklyn, 1st ch. and S. S.,	3.00		Friend,	5.50	
Canton Center,	7.50		Rev. L. W. Hicks,	10.00	
Central Village,	3.28		Mary R. Perkins,	100.00	
Chaplin,	18.50		Henry Roberts,	20.00	
Cheshire,	10.30		N. Shipman,	100.00	
Chester,	16.30		W. I. Twitchell,	10.00	
Clinton,	2.88		Harwinton,	4.75	
Cobalt,	3.40		Higganum,	20.00	
Colchester, S. S.,	3.71		Ivoryton,	9.22	
Collinsville,	4.00		Kensington,	6.61	
Columbia,	11.00		Kent, 1st ch.,	15.86	
Cornwall, 1st ch.,	10.00		Lisbon,	5.00	
2d ch.,	25.37		Litchfield, 1st ch.,	18.30	
Coventry, 1st ch.,	10.74		Long Ridge,	2.70	
2d ch. Y. P. S. C. E.,	12.10		Manchester, 2d ch.,	46.36	
Cromwell,	81.87		Mansfield, 1st ch.,	2.00	
Danbury, 1st ch.,	28.55		2d ch.,	5.45	
Danielson, Westfield ch.,	45.39		Meriden, 1st ch.,	200.00	
Derby, 1st ch.,	6.45		Centre ch.,	75.00	
2d ch.,	12.50		Middlefield,	39.55	
Eastford,	4.45		Middletown, South ch.,	56.81	
Easton,	6.70		3d ch.,	13.41	
East Haddam, 1st ch.,	12.72		Miss Julia Gilbert,	100.00	
East Hartford, 1st ch.,	7.58		Milford, 1st ch.,	10.80	
South ch.,	10.16		Milton,	5.25	
East Hartland,	5.00		Monroe,	1.75	
East Haven,	13.00		Mt. Carmel,	9.11	
East Windsor, 1st ch.,	10.08		Mystic,	8.65	
East Woodstock,	11.67		New Britain, South ch.,	40.10	
Ekouk,	5.00		New Fairfield,	.62	
Ellington,	22.00		New Hartford, North ch.,	23.45	
Enfield, 1st ch.,	6.00		New Haven, Centre ch.,	149.39	
Exeter,	12.75		Church of Redeemer,	75.73	
Fairfield,	27.15		Dixwell Ave. ch.,	11.00	
Estate Eliza A. Lyon,	50.88		Dwight Place ch.,	30.00	
Fair Haven, 2d ch.,	4.64		Grand Ave. ch.,	25.00	
Falls Village,	1.00		Howard Ave. ch.,	7.04	
Farmington, 1st ch.,	22.20		Plymouth ch.,	3.17	
Glastonbury, J. B. Williams,	500.00		Mrs. Henry Farnam,	100.00	
Granby, South ch.,	5.00		A. E. Rowland,	30.00	
			Edwin Marble, Esq.,	5.00	

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Gaines,	\$5.20	Orange Valley,	\$20.00
Genoa, William C. Rondenbush,	10.00	Plainfield, S. S.,	24.00
Groton City,	1.00	Westfield,	75.00
Honeoye,	5.00	Woodbridge, 1st ch.,	8.35
Hopkinton, Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.61	Woman's Home Miss'y Union,	120.50
Howells,	5.53		
Ithaca, 1st ch.,	25.50		\$451.25
Jamesport,	5.50		
Jamestown, 1st ch.,	47.55	PENNSYLVANIA.	
Lockport, 1st S. S.,	10.00	Cambridge Springs, Mrs. A. B. Ross,	\$5.00
Lebanon,	2.00	Ebensburg, 1st ch.,	10.00
Lysander, 1st ch.,	2.50	Edwardsdale, Welsh ch.,	6.00
Middletown, 1st ch.,	6.02	Germantown, Y. P. S. C. E.,	12.00
Morrisville,	3.50	Guy's Mills, W. M. S.,	2.00
Munnsville,	2.85	Harford,	1.07
Mt. Sinai,	7.73	Kane, 1st ch.,	7.00
Mt. Vernon, 1st ch.,	6.43	Le Raysville,	3.38
Napoli, 1st ch.,	5.70	Mt. Carmel, Tabernacle ch.,	2.50
New Haven, Rev. Samuel Johnson,	10.88	Philadelphia, Central ch.,	74.84
New York, Bedford Park ch.,	3.21	Central ch., "X,"	100.00
Broadway Tabernacle ch.,	148.76	James S. Stone,	10.00
Trinity ch.,	10.00	Central W. M. U.,	11.75
George Gleason,	100.00	Ridgway, 1st W. M. S.,	3.50
C. M. Raymond,	50.00		
Mrs. Sarah E. Gillum,	10.00		\$249.04
North Guilford,	1.00	OHIO.	
Northfield,	4.20	Ashtabula, 2d ch.,	\$2.50
Northville,	12.31	Atwater Center,	1.80
S. S.,	4.44	Aurora,	4.00
Oswego,	4.62	Bellevue,	11.22
Oxford,	5.00	S. W. Boise,	5.00
Perry Center,	4.55	Berea, 1st ch.,	7.40
Port Leyden,	8.35	Brecksville,	12.00
Poughkeepsie, 1st ch.,	21.50	Chagrin Falls,	3.20
Pulaski,	3.00	Chardon, 1st ch.,	8.65
Rensselaer, 1st ch.,	5.00	Castalia,	1.53
Rensselaer Falls,	1.00	Chester,	2.50
Rodman,	6.36	Cincinnati Columbia ch.,	8.11
Sayville,	19.22	Walnut Hills ch.,	4.22
Sennett, Rev. H. A. Vicker,	50.00	Cleveland, 1st ch.,	3.60
Sherburne, 1st ch.,	41.85	Euclid Ave. ch.,	15.81
Smyrna, S. S. Miss'y Society,	5.00	Hough Ave. ch.,	15.71
Syracuse, Pilgrim ch.,	9.17	Lake View ch.,	2.70
Utica, Plymouth ch.,	5.00	Plymouth ch.,	22.50
Walton, 1st ch.,	39.12	Collinswood, 1st ch.	10.00
Warsaw,	12.38	Columbus, 1st ch.,	83.30
S. S.,	6.24	Dover,	6.09
Wellsville, 1st ch.,	20.25	Eagleville,	2.60
Westmoreland, 1st Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00	Fredericksburg, 1st ch.,	13.50
Yonkers, John R. Ayer,	10.00	Freedom,	2.25
Woman's Home Miss'y Union,	1,100.00	Geneva, 1st ch.,	9.60
		Hudson,	38.75
	\$2,235.33	Huntsburg, K. E. S.,	2.00
		Jefferson, Kingdom Extension Society,	10.00
NEW JERSEY.		Kent, 1st ch.,	6.42
Bound Brook,	\$57.45	Lenox,	2.60
Closter,	2.00	Lexington,	4.00
Glen Ridge,	16.66	Lodi,	12.24
Montclair, 1st ch.,	124.00	Lorain, 1st ch.,	21.97
Newark, 1st ch.,	3.29	Lyme,	9.95

Madison, Central ch.,	\$3.53	Terre Haute, 1st ch.,	\$20.00
Mansfield, 1st ch.,	34.44	2d ch.,	1.00
1st S. S.,	10.00		
Marblehead,	1.80		\$264.75
Marietta, 1st ch.,	50.00		
Medina,	176.69	MICHIGAN.	
Mesopotamia,	1.00	Allegan, 1st ch.,	\$1.92
Mt. Vernon, 1st ch.,	8.90	Ann Arbor, 1st ch.,	10.55
Nelson,	1.50	Benton Harbor,	8.56
Newark,	5.00	Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.41
North Bloomfield,	2.00	Calumet,	32.48
North Monroeville,	3.09	Chelsea, 1st ch.,	2.06
Oak Hill,	2.00	Chippewa Lake,	1.00
Oberlin, 1st ch.,	14.15	Covert,	9.31
Member of 1st ch.,	25.00	Junior C. E.,	2.00
2d ch.,	31.82	Detroit, 1st ch.,	170.00
Paddy's Run,	18.39	Fremont, 1st ch.,	1.25
Painesville, 1st ch.,	17.30	Galesburg,	5.57
Rootstown,	5.50	Jesse Markoff,	60.00
Ruggles,	5.45	Grand Rapids, Plymouth ch.,	1.85
Sandusky, 1st ch.,	8.00	Greenville, 1st ch.,	6.23
Steubenville, 1st ch.,	15.98	Hancock, 1st ch.,	31.70
Tallmadge,	15.25	Harrison,	3.96
Thompson,	3.00	Kendall,	3.00
Toledo, 1st ch.,	14.00	Mancelona,	6.00
Central ch.,	7.80	Merrill,	2.00
Washington St. ch.,	6.31	Muskegon, 1st ch.,	1.40
Twinsburg,	4.35	Portland, 1st ch.,	4.88
Unionville,	5.00	Red Jacket,	5.00
Wakeman, 2d ch.,	6.25	Saginaw, 1st ch.,	20.00
Wauseon,	9.16	St. Clair, 1st ch.,	4.00
Wellington, 1st ch.,	8.75	Sandstone, Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.00
Windham, 1st ch.,	3.25	Three Oaks, 1st ch.,	17.65
Woman's Home Miss'y Union,	464.45	Williamston, Helping Hand Society,	.50
		Woman's Home Miss'y Union,	105.44
	\$1,356.83		\$522.72

INDIANA.

East Chicago, 1st ch.,	\$5.00
Fort Wayne,	31.50
Plymouth ch.,	30.00
South ch.,	6.00
Hammond, 1st ch.,	2.25
Indianapolis, Union ch.,	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Stacy,	2.00
Mrs. Sarah M. Bassett,	5.00
Mrs. Caroline Bence,	2.50
C. J. Buchanan,	5.00
A. W. Appleton,	2.00
C. P. Doney,	1.00
Edw. Gilbert,	5.00
Rev. N. A. Hyde,	25.00
T. H. Johnson,	5.00
T. H. Perry,	2.50
Dr. O. S. Runnels,	5.00
Mrs. Anna Sturtevant,	5.00
Jeffersonville, J. W. Comfort,	10.00
Oakland City, Mrs. P. W. Wallace,	1.00
Orland,	88.00

ILLINOIS.

Abingdon,	\$25.50
Alton, Church of Redeemer,	18.85
Amboy, 1st ch.,	8.11
Atkinson,	5.36
S. S.,	3.42
Aurora, 1st ch.,	34.00
Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00
New England ch.,	30.00
Avon, Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.00
Bowmanville,	11.20
Buda,	8.00
Bunker Hill,	20.35
Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.50
Byron,	15.00
Carpentersville,	12.50
Champaign,	18.38
Y. P. S. C. E.,	1.62
Junior C. E.,	.03
Chebansee,	4.00
Chesterfield,	5.06
Chicago, 1st ch.,	49.25
Bethlehem ch.,	6.15

Central Park ch.,	\$2.50	Joy Prairie,	\$9.00
Covenant ch.,	10.41	Kewanee,	24.21
Evanston Ave. ch.,	26.85	Lacon,	12.00
Lake View ch.,	5.20	La Grange, 1st ch.,	66.20
Mizpah Chapel,	1.82	Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00
Mizpah Chapel Y. P. S. C. E.,	1.28	Edward S. Ely,	5.00
Mizpah Chapel Junior C. E.,	.50	La Harpe, Miss Maggie Campbell,	3.00
Mizpah Chapel S. S.,	.53	Lake Forest, Mrs. C. E. Latimer,	10.00
New England ch.,	63.92	La Salle,	6.56
New England S. S.,	30.00	Lawn Ridge,	1.63
Pilgrim ch.,	61.97	Lombard, 1st ch.,	6.50
Plymouth ch.,	25.50	Marseilles, 1st ch.,	24.45
Union Park Y. P. S. C. E.,	29.33	J. Q. Adams,	10.00
Warren Ave. ch.,	41.89	John Lord,	1.00
Waveland Ave. ch.,	2.10	A. J. Thurber,	1.00
Dr. D. K. Pearsons,	16,000.00	Mrs. H. E. Baughman,	100.00
W. K. Harrison, M.D.,	100.00	M. F. Bovard,	10.00
H. H. Hart,	25.00	Mazon, Park St. ch.,	6.14
J. A. Lewis,	10.00	Melvin,	3.00
D. W. Wells,	5.00	Mendon,	6.87
Rev. H. Willard,	10.00	Moline, 1st ch.,	157.58
E. P. Wheeler,	24.50	2d ch.,	2.26
J. F. Mundson,	20.00	Morris, 1st ch.,	14.75
Robert W. Patton,	25.00	Normal, 1st ch.,	6.05
C. J. Hurlbut,	10.00	Oak Park, 1st ch.,	55.28
E. W. Blatchford,	25.00	1st S. S.,	13.94
E. H. Scott,	10.00	2d ch.,	21.16
O. B. Green,	25.00	2d S. S.,	4.08
D. H. Roe,	20.00	C. S. Pellett,	10.00
Mrs. J. J. Collins,	1.00	C. H. Pitkin,	10.00
Olmstead Scientific Co.,	45.00	W. F. Furbeck,	25.00
Creston,	15.87	Mrs. Mary E. Pellett,	1.00
Crystal Lake,	3.75	Odell,	30.00
Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.50	Oneida,	28.76
DeKalb,	5.43	Y. P. S. C. E.,	.50
Dover,	40.45	Oswego,	4.00
Dundee,	13.12	Ottawa, 1st ch.,	48.28
Dwight,	29.35	Pona,	1.00
Elgin, 1st ch.,	5.00	Pecatonica,	10.00
Prospect St. ch.,	2.00	Peoria, 1st ch.,	31.14
A Friend,	5.00	Rev. John Faville,	53.00
Englewood, North ch.,	5.00	Peru,	4.00
Evanston, 1st ch.,	89.47	Richard Harrison,	2.00
C. K. Ober,	30.00	Plainfield,	25.00
Farmington,	13.87	S. S.,	3.35
Mrs. H. B. Haskell,	10.00	Princeton, 1st ch.,	28.07
Forrest,	6.93	Providence,	16.70
Galva,	33.45	Ravenswood,	11.35
'96, '97, '98,	14.23	Rio,	1.25
Geneseo, 1st ch.,	46.00	Roberts,	1.25
Mrs. Priscilla Huntington,	25.00	Y. P. S. C. E.,	.75
Glencoe,	28.25	Junior C. E.,	.50
Glen Ellyn, Y. P. S. C. E.,	11.25	Rockford, 1st ch.,	23.88
Granville, Sidney Whitaker,	25.00	2d ch.,	124.32
C. W. Dysart,	1.00	2d S. S.,	15.00
Misses Oleson,	5.00	Mrs. Julia Warren,	400.00
Hamilton, Bethel ch.,	1.32	C. E. Chandler,	25.00
Harvey, Y. P. S. C. E.,	5.00	Rogers Park, 1st ch.,	1.35
Hinsdale, 1st ch.,	46.08	Roscoe,	2.11

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Madison, 1st ch.,	\$40.00	Austin, 1st ch.,	\$7.36
Rev. E. G. Updike,	10.00	Rev. E. F. Wheeler,	20.00
Menasha, 1st ch.,	25.00	Belgrade, 1st ch.,	4.00
Menomonie, 1st ch.,	15.55	Benson, S. S.,	1.00
Milton,	3.15	Brainerd, 1st ch.,	2.65
Milwaukee, Grand Ave. ch.,	27.65	Cannon Falls, 1st ch.,	2.50
Hanover St. ch.,	10.60	Crookston, 1st ch.,	4.12
Pilgrim ch.,	7.33	Detroit, 1st ch.,	2.15
Miss S. Edson,	1.00	Excelsior,	2.55
H. D. Johnson,	5.00	Fairmount,	10.00
H. M. Messer,	5.00	Faribault,	10.74
H. G. Story,	15.00	Freeborn,	2.50
D. McK. Sinclair,	5.00	S. S.,	.97
Nekoosa,	4.00	Glencoe, Rev. J. W. Todd,	50.00
New London,	5.25	Granada,	1.00
Osseo,	1.50	Hamilton, C. V. Knox,	5.00
Pewaukee,	3.00	Lake Benton,	3.00
Pleasant Valley,	3.74	Lake City,	9.75
Plymouth,	6.10	Lamberton,	5.43
Potosi,	2.30	Mantorville, 1st ch.,	3.10
Retreat,	1.00	Marshall,	14.24
Rio,	2.00	Medford,	1.00
Ripon, 1st ch.,	14.15	Merriam Park, Olivet ch.,	12.05
River Falls,	9.00	Minneapolis, 1st ch.,	16.62
South Milwaukee,	7.30	Bethany ch.,	5.00
Sparta,	2.00	5th Ave. ch. S. S.,	12.38
Spring Green,	1.80	Lyndale ch.,	29.50
Stoughton,	9.21	Pilgrim ch.,	7.17
S. S.,	2.09	Plymouth ch.,	222.55
Sturgeon Bay, Hope ch.,	15.87	Mrs. Emma P. Benton,	775.00
Token,	6.18	C. B. Moody,	75.00
Tomahawk,	2.80	W. N. Carroll,	75.00
Trempealeau, Rev. H. A. Griffiths,	5.00	J. N. Morris,	75.00
Trevor, Liberty ch.,	2.50	D. P. Jones,	75.00
Washburn, Rev. John Gibson,	5.00	C. M. Cushman,	10.00
Watertown,	7.00	H. P. Roberts,	20.00
M. J. Woodard,	25.00	Montevideo, L. R. Moyer,	100.00
F. E. Woodard,	5.00	Hon. L. A. Smith,	50.00
Wauwatosa,	56.32	Prof. C. W. Headley,	50.00
E. R. Godfrey,	5.00	L. G. Moyer,	60.00
J. M. Nash,	5.00	P. L. Norman,	25.00
G. C. Rogers,	5.00	M. G. Olson,	10.00
N. J. Swan,	5.00	A. Canfield,	10.00
West Roundale,	3.00	S. S. Byholt,	5.00
Y. P. S. C. E.,	2.00	Pierce & Miller,	10.00
West Salem,	9.41	L. A. Smith,	25.00
West Superior, Hope ch.,	2.00	R. S. Keyes,	10.00
Whitewater,	7.90	B. O. Pickles,	10.00
S. S.,	5.00	Mrs. Cook,	2.00
Windsor,	4.42	C. K. Baker,	5.00
Wyoming,	.50	Mr. Treadway,	10.00
Woman's Home Miss'y Union,	153.20	Miss Evans,	1.00
	\$10,336.37	F. C. Bentley,	5.00
		M. E. Titus,	15.00
		C. Amundson,	.50
		Hannah Griffiths,	5.00
		Ida Martinson,	1.00
		C. A. Sherdahl,	5.00
		R. S. Bacon,	10.00

MINNESOTA.

Alexandria, 1st ch.,	\$21.29
1st S. S.,	3.53
Appleton,	2.10

P. J. Mettling,	\$10.00	DeWitt,	\$2.75
J. O. Anderson,	5.00	Dickens,	2.00
Johnsrud Bros.,	25.00	Doon, 1st ch.,	3.00
B. Nichols,	10.00	Dubuque, 1st ch.,	44.91
A. F. Teigen,	5.00	" C," 1st ch.,	5.00
G. D. Moyer,	10.00	Dunlap,	28.80
P. A. Johnson,	10.00	Eldora,	28.23
E. Jacobson,	10.00	Emmetsburg,	10.08
A. I. Amundson,	5.00	Fairfield, 1st ch.,	1.88
A. J. Feldhammer,	10.00	Galt,	2.00
Miss Lillian Goard,	2.00	Genoa Bluff,	2.05
Miss Carrie Ruddock,	5.00	Gilbert Station,	3.25
Miss Olive Simons,	1.00	Glenwood, Y. P. S. C. E.,	4.00
Moorhead, S. S. and Y. P. S. C. E.,	1.10	Gomer,	2.00
Morris,	6.85	Grinnell,	24.95
Northfield, 1st ch.,	70.57	Y. P. S. C. E.,	4.74
Prof. A. H. Pearson,	20.00	Hampton, 1st ch ,	9.55
Princeton,	3.00	S. S.,	2.27
Red Wing, D. C. Hill,	2.00	Harvey,	1.75
Rochester,	23.37	Hawarden,	3.00
Dr. F. R. Morse,	5.00	T. A. Greiner,	1.00
St. Anthony's Park,	17.10	Independence,	3.73
St. Paul, Bethany ch.,	3.00	Jewell,	1.00
Pacific ch.,	11.10	Kellogg,	1.10
Plymouth ch.,	15.94	McGregor, 1st ch.,	20.00
Sauk Center,	2.00	Magnolia,	7.37
Silver Lake, Bohemian Free ch.,	17.50	Marion,	17.75
Spring Valley,	8.80	Marshalltown,	33.24
Wadena,	5.40	Mason City,	21.17
Waterville,	10.00	O. T. Denison,	25.00
Winona, 1st ch.,	176.80	O. F. Ulland,	5.00
2d ch.,	5.00	C. H. McNider,	5.00
Zumbrota,	4.61	S. R. Miles,	5.00
Woman's Home Miss'y Union,	196.52	Dr. A. T. Huxley,	5.00
	<u>\$2,738.41</u>	George E. Winter,	5.00
		Monona,	3.55
		Monticello,	6.11
		Mt. Pleasant,	2.10
Iowa.		Muscataine, 1st ch.,	10.91
Alexander,	\$1.10	1st S. S.,	5.26
Algona,	5.00	Pilgrim ch.,	5.25
Allison,	5.00	Osceola, Miss Jennie M. Baird,	5.00
Anamosa,	1.87	Ottumwa, 1st ch.,	8.92
Belmond, S. S.,	1.25	2d ch.,	2.00
Blairsburg,	2.00	Polk City, Mrs. Elizabeth Kelsal,	20.00
Burlington, Estate Mercy Lewis,	46.62	Postville, Robert Hall,	75.00
Castana, 1st ch.,	3.25	Prairie City, 1st ch.,	4.30
Charles City, 1st ch.,	24.78	Primghar,	3.06
Rev. Wilson Denny,	5.00	Red Oak, 1st ch.,	27.50
Cherokee, 1st ch. and S. S.,	5.00	Reinbeck,	4.20
Chester Center,	8.51	Riceville,	4.33
Clay,	3.00	Rockford,	5.00
Clear Lake, 1st ch.,	10.02	Rock Rapids,	18.50
R. R. Wood,	10.00	Rockwell,	10.00
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Correctionville,	5.00	Spencer, 1st ch.,	14.60
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	\$1,040.29	H. M. Buffum,	10.00
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Clear Creek,	1.00	A. R. Julian,	25.00
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2 MINNESOTA.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized September, 1872.

President, Miss Catherine W. Nichols, 230 E. 9th St., St. Paul.

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3 ALABAMA.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized March, 1877.

Reorganized April, 1889.

President, Mrs. G. W. Andrews, Talladega.

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4 MASSACHUSETTS AND RHODE ISLAND.

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Organized February, 1880.

President, Mrs. William H. Blodgett, 645 Centre St., Newton.

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Treasurer, Miss Lizzie D. White, 607 Congregational House, Boston.

5 MAINE.

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President, Mrs. Katherine B. Lewis, So. Berwick.

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6 MICHIGAN.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized May, 1881.

President, Mrs. I. P. Powell, 76 Jefferson Ave., Grand Rapids.

Secretary, Mrs. E. N. Thorne, 212 So. Union St., Grand Rapids.

Treasurer, Mrs. E. F. Grabill, Greenville.

7 KANSAS.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized October, 1881.

President, Mrs. R. B. Guild, 1336 Dillon St., Topeka.

Secretary, Mrs. M. H. Jaquith, 1157 Filmore St., Topeka.

Treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Sloo, 1212 W. 13th St., Topeka, Kan.

8 OHIO.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized May, 1882.

President, Mrs. C. W. Carroll, 48 Brookfield St., Cleveland.

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9 NEW YORK.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
UNION.

Organized October, 1883.

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10 WISCONSIN.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
UNION.

Organized October, 1883.

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11 NORTH DAKOTA.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
UNION.

Organized November, 1883.

President, Mrs. E. H. Stickney, Fargo.*Secretary*, Mrs. Silas Daggett, Harwood.*Treasurer*, Mrs. J. M. Fisher, Fargo.

12 OREGON.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
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Organized July, 1884.

President, Mrs. F. Eggert, Hobart-Curtis, Portland.*Cor. Sec.*, Mrs. D. D. Clarke, 447 E. 12th St., No. Portland.*Treasurer*, Mrs. C. F. Clapp, Forest Grove.

13 WASHINGTON.

INCLUDING NORTHERN IDAHO.

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Organized July, 1884.

Reorganized June, 1889.

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14 SOUTH DAKOTA.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
UNION.

Organized September, 1884.

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15 CONNECTICUT.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
UNION.

Organized January, 1885.

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16 MISSOURI.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
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Organized May, 1885.

President, Mrs. C. H. Patton, 3707 Westminister Place, St. Louis.*Secretary*, Mrs. C. W. S. Cobb, 4415 W. Morgan St., St. Louis.*Treasurer*, Mrs. A. J. Steele, 2825 Washington Ave., St. Louis.

17 ILLINOIS.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
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Organized May, 1885.

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18 IOWA.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
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Organized June, 1886.

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19 CALIFORNIA.

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Organized June, 1887.

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20 NEBRASKA.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY
UNION.

Organized November, 1887.

President, Mrs. D. B. Perry, Crete.*Secretary*, Mrs. H. Bross, 2904 Q St., Lincoln.*Treasurer*, Mrs. Charlotte C. Hall, 1318 C St., Lincoln.

21 FLORIDA.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized February, 1888.

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22 INDIANA.

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23 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

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24 VERMONT.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized June, 1888.

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25 COLORADO.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY UNION.

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26 WYOMING.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized October, 1888.

Reorganized December, 1892.

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27. GEORGIA.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized November, 1888.

New Organization October, 1898.

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28 MISSISSIPPI.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized April, 1889.

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29 LOUISIANA.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

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30 ARKANSAS, KENTUCKY, AND TENNESSEE.

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31 NORTH CAROLINA.

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33 MONTANA.

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34 PENNSYLVANIA.

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36 NEW JERSEY.

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37 UTAH.

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South St., Salt Lake City.

38 INDIAN TERRITORY.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized April, 1892.

President, ———.*Secretary*, Miss Louise Graper, Vinita.*Treasurer*, Mrs. Raymond, Vinita.

39 NEVADA.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized October, 1892.

President, Mrs. L. J. Flint, Reno.*Secretary*, Miss Margaret N. Magill, Reno.*Treasurer*, Miss Mary Clow, Reno.

40 NEW MEXICO.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized November, 1892.

President, Mrs. M. McClaskey, Albuquerque.*Secretary*, Mrs. Fowler, Albuquerque.*Treasurer*, Mrs. J. F. Palmer, 501 N. First
St., Albuquerque.

41 IDAHO.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION.

Organized May, 1895.

President, Mrs. R. B. Wright, Boise.*Secretary*, Mrs. C. E. Mason, Mountainhome.*Treasurer*, Mrs. L. H. Johnston, Challis.